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COMECON	Council for Mutual Economic Assistance
EEC	European Economic Community (Common Market)
NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization
OAS	Organization of American States
OAU	Organization of African Unity
OECD	Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development
United Nations	
ECA	UN Economic Commission for Africa
ECAFE	UN Economic Commission for Asia and the Far East
ECE	UN Economic Commission for Europe
ECLA	UN Economic Commission for Latin America
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organization
GATT	General Agreement on Tariffs and Trade
IAEA	International Atomic Energy Agency
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
ILO	International Labor Organization
IMCO	Inter-Governmental Maritime Consultative Organization
UNESCO	UN Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
WHO	World Health Organization
WMO	World Meteorological Organization

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THIS REPORT OF THE AD HOC GROUP ON AIR POLLUTION OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT INCORPORATES NATIONAL REPORTS FROM 17 NATIONS AND INCLUDES A SUMMARY OF THE MAIN CONCLUSIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS OF THE GROUP. THE REPORT CONTAINS ESTIMATES ON FUEL UTILIZATION BY DIFFERENT TYPES OF STATIONARY POWER AND HEATING UNITS USING VARIOUS TYPES OF FUEL, A REVIEW OF POLLUTION CONTROL MEASURES IN USE IN DIFFERENT COUNTRIES AND UNDER DEVELOPMENT, AND PLANS FOR CONVERTING TO USE OF CLEANER FUELS. COST ESTIMATES, BASED ON AVAILABLE TECHNOLOGY, ARE GIVEN ON MEANS OF PREVENTING ANY INCREASE BY THE END OF THE DECADE IN LEVEL OF TOTAL EMISSIONS INTO THE ATMOSPHERE RESULTING FROM USE OF FUELS.

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THIS REPORT, THE RESULT OF AN INVESTIGATION CONDUCTED BY A PANEL COMPRISED OF MEMBERS OF THE AIR MANAGEMENT SECTOR GROUP OF THE OECD, DEALS WITH RESEARCH CONDUCTED BY OECD MEMBER STATES ON THE EFFECTS OF AIR POLLUTION. THE REPORTS IS DIVIDED INTO THREE PARTS. PART 1 INDICATES THE GENERAL APPROACH PRESENTLY TAKEN BY MEMBER COUNTRIES BOTH WITH REGARD TO SITUATIONS REQUIRING REMEDIAL ACTION AND THOSE REQUIRING PROTECTIVE ACTION. IT ALSO CONSIDERS THE TYPES OF INFORMATION NEEDED UNDER THESE TWO CONDITIONS. PART 2 SUMMARIZES CONCLUSIONS ON THE PRESENT SITUATION WITH REGARD TO RESEARCH IN PROGRESS IN MEMBER COUNTRIES; PLANNED OR PRIORITY RESEARCH AREAS ARE ALSO DISCUSSED. PART 3 CONTAINS RECOMMENDATIONS FOR FUTURE RESEARCH ACTIVITIES SUITABLE FOR COOPERATION BETWEEN OECD COUNTRIES.

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THIS ARTICLE, BY THE HEAD OF OECD'S DIVISION OF URBAN ENVIRONMENT, OUTLINES POLICY PROBLEMS POSED BY THE WIDESPREAD USE OF THE MOTOR VEHICLE. THE FOLLOWING PROBLEM AREAS, WHICH ARE ALSO THE OBJECT OF AN INVESTIGATION BEING CONDUCTED BY AN AD HOC GROUP OF THE OECD'S ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE, ARE CONSIDERED: IMPROVEMENT OF AUTO SAFETY; REDUCING EMISSIONS FRO AUTOMOBILES; THE ECONOMIC IMPACT OF NEW NOISE, EMISSION, AND SAFETY STANDARDS; CONTROLLING EMISSIONS AND NOISE THROUGH RESTRAINTS ON AUTO USE; THE ESTABLISHMENT OF VEHICLE-FREE ZONES IN URBAN AREAS; ENCOURAGING THE USE OF MASS TRANSIT; REDUCING EMISSIONS BY IMPROVING TRAFFIC FLOW; DISPOSING OF OLD AUTOMOBILES; AND INTERNATIONAL IMPLICATIONS OF NATIONAL LEGISLATION DESIGNED TO MAKE THE MOTOR VEHICLE MORE COMPATIBLE WITH THE INTERESTS OF THE ENVIRONMENT.

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THIS REPORT, PREPARED BY A JOINT GROUP COMPRISED OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM THE ENERGY AND OIL COMMITTEES OF THE OECD AND THE AIR MANAGEMENT SECTOR GROUP OF THE OECD ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE, REPRESENTS A FIRST ANALYSIS BY 16 OECD COUNTRIES OF THE POSSIBLE AIR POLLUTION SITUATION WHICH COULD ARISE FROM THE PROJECTED USE OF FUELS IN STATIONARY SOURCES DURING THE PERIOD 1968-1980. THE INITIAL SECTION PRESENTS THE MAIN CONCLUSIONS OF THE STUDY AND APPRAISES THE SITUATION WHICH IT DISCLOSES. THE BULK OF THE REPORT IS A CONSOLIDATION OF REPORTS ON THE SITUATION IN INDIVIDUAL MEMBER STATES. CHAPTERS DEAL WITH: FUEL FORECASTS AND CHANGING PATTERNS OF CONSUMPTION, 1968-1980; SPECIFIC POLLUTANT EMISSION FACTORS; PROJECTED EMISSIONS 1968-1980; ABATEMENT TECHNIQUES AND COSTS; THE EFFECT OF APPLYING ABATEMENT TECHNIQUES AND THEIR COSTS; AND ISSUES ARISING FROM THE STUDY. OVER 125 PAGES OF ANNEXES PRESENT THE INDIVIDUAL COUNTRY DATA ON WHICH THE CONSOLIDATED REPORT IS BASED.

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THIS ARTICLE REPORTS ON THE EFFORTS WHICH ARE BEING MADE IN MANY COUNTRIES TO OBTAIN DATA THAT WILL ENABLE THE HEALTH RISKS ASSOCIATED WITH ATMOSPHERIC POLLUTION TO BE ACCURATELY ASSESSED AND THE SITUATION IMPROVED. THE HEALTH ASPECTS OF AIR POLLUTION WERE CONSIDERED BY A WHO WORKING GROUP IN 1971 AND A SECOND WORKING GROUP IN 1972. THE 1972 WORKING GROUP CONSIDERED SEVERAL EPIDEMIOLOGICAL STUDIES ON AIR POLLUTION AND HEALTH INCLUDING THE CRACOW STUDY IN POLAND, 1965; THE STUDY BY THE NETHERLANDS HEALTH ORGANIZATION RESEARCH UNIT FOR THE EPIDEMIOLOGY OF CHRONIC NON-SPECIFIC LUNG DISEASES, 1964; THE STUDY BY THE INSTITUTE OF HYGIENE AND EPIDEMIOLOGY IN PRAGUE, CZECHOSLAVAKIA, 1964; AND THE STUDY BY COLLY AND REID IN THE UNITED KINGDOM, 1970. IN THIS ARTICLE EACH OF THESE STUDIES IS SUMMARIZED AND THE STANDARDS FOR EPIDEMIOLOGICAL RESEARCH ON THE HEALTH EFFECTS OF AIR POLLUTION SUGGESTED BY THE 1971 WHO WORKING GROUP ARE LISTED.

COMECON

LES PROBLEMES RELATIFS A L'ENVIRONEMENT DANS LES PAYS-MEMBRES DU CONSEIL DE L'ASSISTANCE ECONOMIQUE MUTUELLE (ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES IN THE COMECON COUNTRIES)

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AIR WATER SOLID WASTE RADIATION NOISE

THIS BOOK COVERS THE PRINCIPLES AND ORGANIZATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND THE PERTINENT LEGISLATION OF THE MEMBER STATES OF THE COUNCIL OF MUTUAL ECONOMIC AID (COMECON): BULGARIA, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, HUNGARY, GERMAN DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC, POLAND, ROMANIA, ANS THE SOVIET UNION. THE FIRST CHAPTER PRESENTS A GENERAL INTRODUCTION. CHAPTER II DEALS WITH THE SOCIALIST CONCEPT OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND CHAPTER III WITH THE ESTABLISHMENT AND STRUCTURE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAMS.CHAPTER IV GIVES A SURVEY OF ENVIRONMENTAL LEGISLATION IN EACH OF THE COMECON STATES, WITH A SUMMARY OF THE LAWS AND DECREES. CHAPTERS V AND VI DEAL WITH COOPERATION WITH COMECON AND WITH OTHER STATES. THE LAST CHAPTER PRESENTS CONCLUSIONS. THE ANNEXES LIST LAWS ARRANGED BY SUBJECT (AIR, NATURE, WATER, SOIL, FORESTRY AND PASTURAGE, LEISURE ACTIVITIES, INVESTMENT, RADIATION PROTECTION, WASTE DISPOSAL, THE WORK ENVIRONMENT, AND THE PRESERVATION OF CULTURAL SITES), MAJOR INSTITUTIONS RESPONSIBLE IN EACH COUNTRY FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, AND A BIBLIOGRAPHY.

COMECON

"INFORMATION ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC COOPERATION IN TREATMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS." BYULLETEN' PO VODNOMU KHOZYAYSTVU, NO. 8, 1971
KUMYANTSEV, A. AND B. MATE

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AIR RADIATION WATER

THE AUTHORS OBSERVE THAT ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS, CAUSED BY GROWTH OF INDUSTRY AND URBANIZATION, DEMAND SERIOUS ATTENTION IN ALL MEMBER NATIONS OF THE COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC COOPERATION (COMECON). PREVENTION OF WATER AND AIR POLLUTION IS OF PRIMARY CONCERN. THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM OF COMECON IS TO DEVELOP COOPERATION AMONG MEMBERS IN SOLVING ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS, TO COORDINATE SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH AND DISTRIBUTION OF INFORMATION ON THE ENVIRONMENT, AND TO MAINTAIN CONTACT WITH OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS CONCERNED WITH ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS SUCH AS THE UNITED NATIONS EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMISSION. THE AUTHORS, BOTH MEMBERS OF A GROUP OF WATER MANAGEMENT EXPERTS FOR THE COMECON SECRETARIAT, REVIEW THE ACTIVITIES OF THE CONFERENCE OF WATER MANAGEMENT DIRECTORS, A SPECIAL ORGAN OF COMECON CONCERNED WITH WATER POLLUTION AND MANAGEMENT PROBLEMS. THEY ALSO DESCRIBE THE ACHIEVEMENT AND GOALS OF VARIOUS SPECIAL COMMISSIONS STUDYING TECHNICAL PROBLEMS OF WATER AND AIR POLLUTION, ATOMIC ENERGY SAFETY, AND GENERAL ENVIRONMENTAL MATTERS.

OFFICIAL

COUNCIL OF EUROPE

"THE ANTI-POLLUTION FIGHT CAN ONLY BE AN INTERNATIONAL UNDERTAKING." LE MONDE
MARGUERITE, BERNARD
FRENCH 04/02/73 PGS 24 ID# 01527A
ALSO PMB
AIR WATER

EM(a)

AN ASSESSMENT OF THE VIENNA CONFERENCE ON THE ENVIRONMENT, ATTENDED BY THE MEMBER STATES OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AND OBSERVERS FROM OTHER STATES, THIS COMMENTARY OUTLINES THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE CONFERENCE, CHIEF OF WHICH WAS THE FACT THAT IT DEMONSTRATED THE IMPORTANCE THAT THE MEMBER STATES AND THE COUNCIL ACCORD TO THE PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT. WHILE THE ACCORDS REACHED PRIMARILY CONCERN THE PROTECTION OF FLORA AND FAUNA, THE NEED TO ESTABLISH PARKS WITHIN URBAN CENTERS, AND THE CONSERVATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES, PARTICIPANTS DID ADDRESS THEMSELVES TO THE PROBLEMS OF MAN-CAUSED POLLUTION (A SUBJECT NOT ON THE CONFERENCE AGENDA). THE AUTHOR OF THIS COMMENTARY DESCRIBES THE PARTICULAR INTEREST OF AUSTRIA IN ANTI-POLLUTION MEASURES, THE SMOG COVER OVER VIENNA WHICH SOME RELATE TO THE HIGH INCIDENCE OF SUICIDE THERE, AND OUTLINES THE POLLUTION PROBLEMS IN HUNGARY, CZECHOSLOVAKIA, AND POLAND.

COUNCIL OF EUROPE

"GENSCHER DEMANDS GUARANTEE OF THE RIGHT OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO A HUMANLY LIVABLE ENVIRONMENT." STUTTGARTER ZEITUNG, NO. 74
FPA
GERMAN 03/29/73 PGS ID# 01624A

EM(b)

THIS ARTICLE REPORTS ON THE MARCH 1973 VIENNA MEETING OF THE EUROPEAN CONFERENCE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION MINISTERS, ATTENDED BY REPRESENTATIVES OF THE 17 STATES OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AS WELL AS BY OBSERVERS FROM NON-MEMBER STATES SUCH AS FINLAND AND YUGOSLAVIA. MAJOR THEMES WERE THE DEVELOPMENT OF A GENERAL DIALOGUE BETWEEN EUROPEAN STATES ON ENVIRONMENTAL QUESTIONS AND A DISCUSSION OF COUNCIL OF EUROPE DOCUMENTS RELATING TO THE ENVIRONMENT. CHIEF FOCUS IS ON REMARKS OF WEST GERMAN INTERIOR MINISTER GENSCHER, WHO ADVISED THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A COMMISSION TO DRAW UP A NEW LEGAL MECHANISM ON THE PROTECTION OF MANKIND AND URGED THAT THE ELEMENTARY RIGHT OF THE INDIVIDUAL TO A HUMANLY ENVIRONMENT BE GIVEN CONSTITUTIONAL STATUS; GENSCHER, WHOSE REMARKS WERE CONSISTENT WITH ENVIRONMENT GOALS OF THE COUNCIL, MENTIONED TWO ALTERNATIVE WAYS OF ENSURING A LIVABLE ENVIRONMENT FOR THE INDIVIDUAL: EXTENSION OF THE 1950 HUMAN RIGHTS CONVENTION OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE OR THE CREATION OF A EUROPEAN ENVIRONMENTAL CHARTER.

COUNCIL OF EUROPE "ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION WORK IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE." ANNUAIRE EUROPEAN/ EUROPEAN YEARBOOK, V. 19
REHBORG, STEN
EPA
PM(A) ENGLISH 00/00/73 PGS 42-49 ID# 01950A

THIS ARTICLE, WRITTEN BY THE DIRECTOR OF ENVIRONMENT AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, TRACES THE HISTORY AND THE ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE COUNCIL AS REGARDS THE NATURAL AND MAN-MADE ENVIRONMENT, PARTICULARLY FROM THE EARLY 1960'S. DURING THE FIRST YEARS OF THE COUNCIL, EMPHASIS WAS HEAVILY ORIENTED TOWARD THE PROTECTION OF WILDLIFE AND THE LANDSCAPE. IT SOON BECAME CLEAR, THE ARTICLE INDICATES, THAT NATURE PROTECTION WAS BUT A MINOR PART OF THE OVERALL PROBLEM, SO THE COUNCIL'S ATTENTION WAS EXPANDED TO COVER POLLUTION AND NATURAL RESOURCES. THE ARTICLE DESCRIBES THE WORK OF THE COUNCIL AND ITS PERTINENT ENVIRONMENT AND CONSERVATION COMMITTEES, THE WORK OF THE COUNCIL-SPONSORED STRASSBURG CONFERENCE ON THE MANAGEMENT OF THE EUROPEAN ENVIRONMENT (FEB. 1970) AND PLANS FOR THE MARCH 1973 VIENNA CONFERENCE ON THE ENVIRONMENT. ALSO DESCRIBED IS THE ROLE OF THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY IN DEVELOPING ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES.

COUNCIL OF EUROPE "GENSCHER: ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY THROUGH THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE." SUEDDEUTSCHE ZEITUNG
EPA
PM(A) GERMAN 09/30/73 PGS 6 ID# 01954A

THIS NEWS ARTICLE REPORTS THAT THE WEST GERMAN INTERIOR MINISTER HANS-DIETRICH GENSCHER HAS COME OUT IN FAVOR OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE SERVING AS THE APPROPRIATE INSTRUMENT AT THE APPROPRIATE LEVEL FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING IN EUROPE. SPEAKING AT THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE IN STRASSBURG, HE STATED THAT THE COUNCIL, REPRESENTING 17 STATES, OF NECESSITY SHOULD BECOME THE CONNECTING LINK BETWEEN THE STATES OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (COMMON MARKET COUNTRIES) AND THE NON-MEMBER STATES, INCLUDING THOSE OF EASTERN EUROPE. HE ATTACHED PARTICULAR SIGNIFICANCE TO THE ENVIRONMENTAL COMPATIBILITY OF OPEN DECISIONMAKING SUCH AS WOULD BE REALIZED AT THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE LEVEL, WITH THE SOCIAL AND ECONOMIC EFFECTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY BEING UNDER EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL MANAGEMENT.

COUNCIL OF EUROPE REPORT ON THE ENVIRONMENT POLICY IN EUROPE
COUNCIL OF EUROPE
EPA
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ALSO FRENCH
AIR WATER SOLID WASTE NOISE

THIS VOLUME, ISSUED BY THE COMMITTEE ON REGIONAL PLANNING AND LOCAL AUTHORITIES OF THE CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE, CONTAINS THE TEXTS OF RECOMMENDATION 659 (1972), RESOLUTION 509 (1972), AND AN EXPLANATORY MEMORANDUM, ALL DEALING WITH ENVIRONMENT POLICY IN EUROPE. THE RECOMMENDATION PROPOSES THAT THE COMMITTEE OF MINISTERS DEFINE THE MOST URGENT ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS IN EUROPE FOR WHICH A EUROPEAN SOLUTION MUST BE FOUND, SUBMIT TO THE 1973 VIENNA CONFERENCE A SUGGESTION FOR ESTABLISHING A EUROPEAN HIGH COMMISSION ON THE ENVIRONMENT, ACCELERATE THE PREPARATION OF THE DRAFT CONVENTION FOR THE PROTECTION OF INTERNAL FRENCH WATERS AGAINST POLLUTION, UTILIZE STRUCTURE ALREADY IN EXISTENCE IN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE TO PREPARE OTHER PACTS ON POLLUTION CONTROL, AND TO STRENGTHEN THE ROLE OF THE COUNCIL IN THE FIELD OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION. CONCLUSIONS IN THE ACCOMPANYING MEMORANDUM DEAL WITH THE ESTABLISHMENT OF NEW PRIORITIES, ACTION PROGRAMS, REGIONAL AUTHORITIES, AND AN ENVIRONMENTAL PENAL CODE.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES "EUROPEAN COMMUNITY." SURVEY OF CURRENT AFFAIRS, V. 3, NO. 9
BRITISH INFORMATION SERVICE EPA
PM(A) ENGLISH 09/00/73 PGS 358-359 ID# 01699A

THIS ARTICLE SUMMARIZES THE PROGRAM OF ACTION THAT THE MEMBERS OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY HAVE SET FORTH FOR THEMSELVES IN THE 1970'S, INCLUDING ENVIRONMENTAL GOALS. THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS ADOPTED ON JULY 18, 1973 AN ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM. IT CALLS FOR MEASURES TO PREVENT OR REDUCE THE ILL EFFECTS OF POLLUTION AND NUISANCE; TO INSURE THE CONSERVATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES AND TO MAINTAIN THE BALANCE OF ECOLOGICAL SYSTEMS; TO GUIDE DEVELOPMENT ALONG LINES CONSISTENT WITH COGNIZANCE OF THE QUALITY OF LIFE AND THE IMPROVEMENT OF WORKING CONDITIONS; TO PLAN GEOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTION OF ACTIVITIES AND POPULATION, ALONG WITH TRANSPORT FACILITIES, IN ORDER TO COUNTER THE DETRIMENTAL IMPACT OF CONGLOMERATION; AND TO COLLABORATE WITH STATES OUTSIDE THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY IN THE SEARCH FOR JOINT SOLUTIONS TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS OCCASIONED BY ECONOMIC GROWTH. THE ARTICLE OUTLINES WORK TO BE UNDERTAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THESE GOALS.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES "ACTION OF THE (EUROPEAN) COMMUNITY ON THE ENVIRONMENT." REVUE DU MARCHE COMMUN, NO. 153
CARPENTIER, MICHEL EPA
PM(A) FRENCH 04/00/72 PGS 381-394 ID# 01906A
ALSO LRB

THIS PAPER, PRESENTED BY THE DIVISION CHIEF FOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUESTIONS OF THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES AT THE NICE COLLOQUY (DECEMBER 10-11, 1971), DEALS WITH THE JURIDICAL AND INSTITUTIONAL ASPECTS OF THE TECHNOLOGICAL POLICY OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES. IT IS DIVIDED INTO THREE PARTS: THE FIRST IS DEVOTED TO AN ANALYSIS OF THE VARIOUS MOTIVATIONS WHICH JUSTIFY A COMMON COMMUNITY POLICY IN REGARD TO THE ENVIRONMENT; THE SECOND, TO RECOUNTING THE POSSIBLE SUBJECT AREAS THAT MIGHT CONSTITUTE THE BASIS OF SUCH A POLICY AND TO AN ENUMERATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIONS ALREADY TAKEN BY THE COMMUNITY WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF EXISTING TREATIES; AND THE FINAL PART, TO A STUDY AND ANALYSIS OF THE JURIDICAL MEANS AT THE DISPOSAL OF THE COMMUNITY FOR THE REALIZATION OF SUCH A POLICY. THE AUTHOR POINTS OUT IN HIS CONCLUSION SOME OF THE SIMILARITIES AND DIFFERENCES BETWEEN JURIDICAL AND INSTITUTIONAL PROBLEMS THAT ARE POSED BY THE CREATION OF TECHNOLOGICAL AND ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES "A COMMUNITIES' PROGRAM FOR THE ENVIRONMENT." ANNUAIRE EUROPEAN/EUROPEAN YEARBOOK, V. 19
CARPENTIER, MICHEL EPA
PM(A) FRENCH 00/00/73 PGS 52-65 ID# 01956A

THIS ARTICLE DESCRIBES THE OBJECTIVES AND ACHIEVEMENTS OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (EC), MADE UP OF THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY, THE EUROPEAN COAL AND STEEL COMMUNITY, AND THE EUROPEAN ATOMIC ENERGY COMMUNITY) IN THE MATTER OF THE PROTECTION AND IMPROVEMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT (CAMPAIGN AGAINST POLLUTION, CONSERVATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES, CONTROL OF LAND USE, AND PROGRESS TOWARD REALIZATION OF MAN'S REAL NEEDS). EC'S FIRST SIGNIFICANT ACTION WAS THE ENCOURAGEMENT IN 1971 OF THE THREE INDIVIDUAL COMMUNITIES TO PURSUE ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES. IN 1972 THE EC COUNCIL OF MINISTERS (REPRESENTING NATIONAL INTERESTS) WAS CALLED UPON TO TAKE ACTION TO DRAFT AN ANTI-POLLUTION RESOLUTION, TO FORMULATE EMERGENCY ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY MEASURES, AND TO DRAFT A RESOLUTION TO THE SIGNATORIES OF THE BERNE CONVENTION ON PREVENTION OF POLLUTION OF THE RHINE. THE EC COMMISSION (REPRESENTING THE COMMUNITIES AS A WHOLE) IS SEEKING, THE AUTHOR STATES, TO ELABORATE A SYSTEM FOR ASSESSING ENVIRONMENTAL HAZARDS AND A PROGRAM OF ACTION AND CONTROLS.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES "ENVIRONMENTAL MINISTERS AGREE ON A COMPROMISE FORMULA." FRANKFURTER ALLGEMEINE

PM(A) GERMAN 07/21/73 PGS 6 EPA
AIR WATER NOISE ID# 01957A

THIS ARTICLE, BEARING A BRUSSELS DATELINE, REPORTS ON A COMPROMISE REACHED BY ENVIRONMENTAL OFFICIALS AT A SPECIAL SESSION CONVENED BY THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES TO DECIDE UPON A COMMON ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM. WHILE THE COMPROMISE ITSELF LEFT CERTAIN ACTIONS TO THE COMPETENCE OF THE INTERNATIONAL BODY AND OTHERS TO THE MEMBER STATES, THE COMMUNITIES WILL NOW BE ABLE TO UNDERTAKE NUMEROUS ENVIRONMENTAL STUDIES AS THE FIRST STEP TOWARD THE SETTING OF JOINT STANDARDS FOR AIR AND WATER PURITY AND NOISE SUPPRESSION. THE WEST GERMAN MINISTER OF THE INTERIOR (RESPONSIBLE FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION), THE ARTICLE REPORTS, EXPRESSED HIS SATISFACTION WITH THE TWO-YEAR ACTION PROGRAM SET BY THE BRUSSELS MEETING, SAYING THAT FUTURE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES' RULES WILL NOT PREJUDICE NATIONAL LEGISLATION BUT ONLY SET MINIMAL STANDARDS.

EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES (MARCH 5, 1973) AGREEMENT ... ON ... HARMONIZATION ... OF MEASURES CONCERNING PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT." OFFICIAL JOURNAL OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES

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ALSO LSA ID# 01970A

THIS EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES' COUNCIL DOCUMENT IS ENTITLED "AGREEMENT OF THE REPRESENTATIVES OF THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE MEMBER STATES MEETING IN COUNCIL ON INFORMATION FOR THE COMMISSION AND FOR THE MEMBER STATES WITH A VIEW TO POSSIBLE HARMONIZATION THROUGHOUT THE COMMUNITIES OF URGENT MEASURES CONCERNING THE PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT." IT CALLS UPON MEMBER STATES TO NOTIFY THE COMMISSION OF THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES AS SOON AS POSSIBLE OF ANY DRAFT LEGISLATION, REGIONAL OR ADMINISTRATIVE MEASURES OR OF ANY INTERNATIONAL INITIATIVE ON THE PROTECTION OR IMPROVEMENT OF THE ENVIRONMENT THAT AFFECTS THE FUNCTIONING OF THE COMMON MARKET, PERTAINS TO THE COMMUNITIES' PROGRAM FOR THE REDUCTION OF POLLUTION AND NUISANCES AND THE PROTECTION OF THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT, OR IS OF INTEREST FROM THE POINT OF VIEW OF PUBLIC HEALTH OR THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT, ESPECIALLY IF REPERCUSSIONS FOR THE MEMBER STATES MAY ARISE.

GATT LA LUTTE CONTRE LA POLLUTION INDUSTRIELLE ET COMMERCE INTERNATIONAL
(INDUSTRIAL POLLUTION CONTROL AND INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE)
U.N. GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE

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THIS PAPER, PUBLISHED BY THE GENERAL AGREEMENT ON TARIFFS AND TRADE (GATT) AS PART OF THAT BODY'S INTERNATIONAL COMMERCE SERIES, OUTLINES THE EFFECTS THAT DIFFERENT TYPES OF MEASURES THAT INDUSTRIAL SOCIETIES MIGHT TAKE TO COMBAT POLLUTION COULD HAVE ON THE COMPETITIVE STATE OF THE INDUSTRIES AFFECTED AND ON THE FUTURE DEVELOPMENT OF INTERNATIONAL TRADE. IT ALSO EXAMINES THE LATITUDE OF ACTION THAT THE 78 GATT MEMBER STATES HAVE IN THE ANTI-POLLUTION SPHERE, GIVEN THEIR OBLIGATIONS TO PROMOTE TRADE ON A NON-DISCRIMINATORY BASIS. DIVIDED INTO SIX PARTS, THE PAPER SETS FORTH ITS MAIN HYPOTHESIS, ANALYZES THE SOCIAL COSTS INVOLVED IN THE POLLUTION FIGHT, LISTS WAYS TO DISTRIBUTE THOSE COSTS, AND SETS FORTH CERTAIN GATT CONSIDERATIONS AND CONCLUSIONS. THE LATTER TOUCH UPON PRODUCT STANDARDS, COST-PRICE DIFFERENCES OCCASIONED BY ANTI-POLLUTION OUTLAYS, THE POSSIBILITY OF RELOCATING CERTAIN INDUSTRIES IN UNDERDEVELOPED AREAS AND THE CONSEQUENCES, AND THE PROBABLE NEED FOR GOVERNMENT SUBSIDY OF KEY INDUSTRIES IN THEIR ANTI-POLLUTION ACTIVITIES.

GENERAL

INTERNATIONAL

PRIORITIES FOR INTERNATIONAL ACTION. PROCEEDINGS OF THE 1ST INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENTARY CONFERENCE ON THE ENVIRONMENT

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THIS PUBLICATION PRESENTS THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE INTERNATIONAL PARLIAMENTARY CONFERENCE ON THE ENVIRONMENT HELD IN BONN IN JUNE 1971 UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE INTERPARLIAMENTARY WORKING CENTER OF THE FEDERAL REPUBLIC OF GERMANY. INCLUDED ARE FULL TEXTS OF THE OPENING ADDRESS AND THE KEYNOTE ADDRESS; A SUMMARY OF THE INTRODUCTORY SPEECHES, IN WHICH CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS, ENVIRONMENTALLY CONCERNED REPRESENTATIVES FROM OVER TWENTY PARLIAMENTARY BODIES, DISCUSS RECENT DEVELOPMENTS AND PROBLEMS IN THEIR COUNTRIES; AND THE SUMMARY OF DEBATES ON VARIOUS ISSUES, INCLUDING COMMON INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL STANDARDS, ENVIRONMENTAL EFFECTS OF DEVELOPMENT ASSISTANCE, POLLUTION CONTROL IN INTERNATIONAL RIVER BASINS, AND ENVIRONMENTAL DAMAGE CAUSED BY ACTIVITIES IN OTHER STATES. THE PUBLICATION CONCLUDES WITH THE CONFERENCE RESOLUTION, WHICH NOTES THOSE AREAS DEMANDING IMMEDIATE AND EFFECTIVE INTERNATIONAL ACTION, URGENT INTERNATIONAL CONSULTATION AND ACTION, OR URGENT RESEARCH AND DISCUSSION PRIOR TO POSSIBLE INTERNATIONAL ACTION.

INTERNATIONAL

"ENVIRONMENT: TOWARD A COMMON POSITION FOR AFRICAN STATES."
JEUNE AFRIQUE, NO. 596

EPA

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THIS MAGAZINE ITEM PRESENTS A CONDENSED VERSION OF THE PLATFORM ADOPTED BY THE GROUP OF AFRICAN EXPERTS CONVENED IN DAKAR TO PREPARED FOR THE 1972 UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON THE ENVIRONMENT IN STOCKHOLM. AMONG OTHER THINGS THE PLATFORM ASSERTS THAT: PLANS FOR THE STOCKHOLM CONFERENCE OVEREMPHASIZE THE PROBLEMS OF INDUSTRIALIZED NATIONS; UNDERDEVELOPED NATIONS OUGHT TO CLAIM REPARATIONS FROM NATIONS WHICH HAVE EXPLOITED THEIR NATURAL RESOURCES; IN AFRICAN COUNTRIES THERE NEED NOT BE A CONFLICT BETWEEN DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENT; POPULATION CONTROL IS NOT A NECESSARY ASPECT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION IN AFRICA; THE ENVIRONMENTAL CONFERENCE SHOULD DENOUNCE COLONIAL AND RACIST PRACTICES OFFENSIVE TO HUMANITY AND THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT; CAREFUL NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL WATER RESOURCES PLANNING IN ESSENTIAL IN AFRICA; AND AFRICAN NATIONS HAVE THE RIGHT TO EXACT INDEMNITIES AND REPARATIONS ON DAMAGES TO THE ENVIRONMENT CAUSED BY OUTSIDE PARTIES ON THE PRINCIPLES THAT THE POLLUTER MUST PAY.

INTERNATIONAL "INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION." UMWELT, NO. 5
GENSCHER, HANS-DIETRICH
PM(B) GERMAN 11/00/73 PGS 4 EPA ID# 02005A
ALSO LRB

IN THIS ARTICLE, HANS-DIETRICH GENSCHER, THE WEST GERMAN FEDERAL INTERIOR MINISTER, POINTS OUT THAT POLLUTION IN ONE AREA OF THE WORLD MAY AFFECT EVEN DISTANT AREAS AND THAT INDIVIDUAL COUNTRIES WHICH INSTITUTE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION PROGRAMS MAY THUS BE DISADVANTAGED NOT ONLY BY INCREASED INDUSTRIAL PRODUCTION COSTS BUT ALSO BY CONTINUING POLLUTION FROM NEIGHBORING STATES. GENSCHER THEREFORE STRESSES THE NECESSITY FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION PLANNING, DISCUSSING MOVES IN THIS DIRECTION, INCLUDING THE U.N. RESOLUTION ON THE RIGHT TO A HUMANLY LIVEABLE ENVIRONMENT, AS WELL AS THE ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES OF ORGANIZATIONS SUCH AS NATO, THE EUROPEAN COMMUNITY, AND THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE. HE ALSO DISCUSSES INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENTS, AND THE EXTENTS TO WHICH INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL LAW HAS AFFECTED NATIONAL LEGISLATION AND POLICIES.

NATO "SUMMARY OF MAJOR NATO/CCMS ACTIVITIES IN 1971." ANNUAIRE EUROPEEN/EUROPEAN YEARBOOK, V. 19
COUNCIL OF EUROPE, PUBL.
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*WATER AIR

NATO MAN'S ENVIRONMENT AND THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE
HUNTLEY, JAMES B.
PM(A) ENGLISH 06/00/71 PGS 1-47 EPA ID# 01966A
AIR WATER

THIS BOOKLET DESCRIBES WHAT THE NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION IS DOING IN THE FIELD OF THE ENVIRONMENT UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CHALLENGES OF MODERN SOCIET (CCMS) BRIEFLY DESCRIBED ARE THE ACTIONS AND ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF CCMS: ACTION TO STOP OIL SPILLS, PREVENTION OF THE POLLUTION OF THE NORTH SEA, PREVENTION OF THE CONTAMINATION OF INLAND WATERS, THE DEVELOPMENT OF A CLEAN ENGINE, AND AIR POLLUTION [illegible]TROL. THREE CONCEPTS ARE PIVOTAL IN CCMS WORK, THE AUTHOR EXPLAINS: THE PILOT COUNTRY IDEA, THE ORIENTATION TOWARDS ACTION NOT RESEARCH, THE OPEN-PUBLICITY POLICY. IN ASSESSING NATO ENVIRONMENTAL WORK, THE AUTHOR SINGLES OUT, AS THE MOST IMPORTANT RESULT OF CCMS, THE ACTION OF SEVERAL MEMBER STATES TO CREATE ORGANIZATIONAL STRUCTURE TO COPE WITH ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS. IN THE LONG-RUN THERE IS THE HOPE THAT SUGGESTIONS EMANATING FROM CCMS PROJECTS WILL RESULT IN INTERNATIONALLY ACCEPTED STANDARDS, WITH THE NATO AIR POLLUTION PROJECT BEING A STEP IN THAT DIRECTION.

OAS DESARROLLO URBANO Y CAMBIO AMBIENTAL: UN ESTUDIO PRELIMINAR REALIZADO POR LA SECRETARIA GENERAL DE LA OEA (URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGE: A PRELIMINARY STUDY ... SECRETARY GENERAL. ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES

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AIR WATER SOLID WASTE

THIS PAPER, PREPARED BY THE SECRETARY GENERAL'S OFFICE OF THE ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES AND SUBMITTED TO A SEMINAR HELD BY THE OAS IN WASHINGTON FROM NOV. 11-19, 1971, EVALUATES QUESTION AND POLICIES ARISING FROM THE HYPOTHESIS THAT URBAN GROWTH WILL GENERATE PROPORTIONATELY GREATER SOCIAL COSTS, REFLECTED IN THE DETERIORATION OF NATURAL RESOURCES. COUNTRIES INCLUDED IN THIS PRELIMINARY STUDY ARE ARGENTINE, BRAZIL, COLOMBIA, CHILE, ECUADOR, GUATEMALA, PANAMA, PERU, TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO, AND VENEZUELA - CONSTITUTING CROSS-SECTION OF THE DEVELOPING STATES IN LATIN AMERICA. THE PAPER IS ORGANIZED INTO A COUNTRY-BY-COUNTRY SURVEY OF EACH STATE'S ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS AND THE INSTITUTIONAL RESPONSE TO THEM. STRESS IS ON METROPOLITAN AREAS. THE FINAL CHAPTER IS DEVOTED TO A DISCUSSION OF THE NEED FOR NATIONAL PLANNING AND THE FEASIBILITY OF INCORPORATING ENVIRONMENTAL COSTS INTO THAT PLANNING.

OECD "OECD AT WORK FOR ENVIRONMENT.
OECD. THE INFORMATION SERVICE

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THIS BOOKLET OUTLINES THE PRINCIPLES, PHILOSOPHY, ORGANIZATION AND OBJECTIVES OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT (OECD). THE COMMITTEE WAS ESTABLISHED IN 1970 FOR THE PURPOSE OF INVESTIGATING ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS, REVIEWING APPROACHES TO SOLVING SUCH PROBLEMS IN MEMBER COUNTRIES, AND PROPOSING SOLUTIONS OF ITS OWN. THE OECD POLICY IS TO VIEW ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS IN AN INTEGRATED MANNER, AS PART OF THE LARGER ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PROBLEMS. THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE, THROUGH CLOSE COOPERATION WITH OTHER OECD COMMITTEES, IS TO ENSURE THAT THE RESULTS OF ITS INVESTIGATIONS ARE WIDELY USED IN THE ORGANIZATION'S WORK ON ECONOMIC POLICY AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT.

OECD PROBLEMS OF ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS. RECORD OF THE SEMINAR HELD AT THE OECD IN SUMMER 1971.

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THIS PUBLICATION REPRODUCES PAPERS DELIVERED AT A SEMINAR ON ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS HELD IN SUMMER 1971 UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE CENTRAL ANALYSIS AND ECONOMIC EVALUATION UNIT OF THE ENVIRONMENT DIRECTORATE OF THE OECD. THE MAJOR TOPICS OF DISCUSSION ARE: PROBLEMS AND INSTRUMENTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL COST ALLOCATION; METHODS OF ANALYSIS AND ENVIRONMENTAL INDICATORS; AND INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS. INDIVIDUAL PAPERS DEAL WITH: ANTI-POLLUTION POLICY AND COST ALLOCATION; ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY INDICATORS AND SOCIAL INDICATORS; BENEFIT-COST ANALYSIS WITH REGARD TO PROGRAMS WITH ENVIRONMENTAL CONSEQUENCES; ECONOMIC EFFECTS OF TECHNOLOGY CHANGES IN RELATION TO THE ENVIRONMENT; THE IMPACT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MEASURES ON INTERNATIONAL TRADE; TRADE EFFECTS OF UNILATERAL POLLUTION STANDARDS; AND THE ECONOMICS OF INTERNATIONAL TRANSMISSION OF POLLUTION. A SUMMARY CHAPTER DISCUSSES THE ORGANIZATION OF THE SEMINAR AND GIVES AN OVERVIEW OF THE PAPERS PRESENTED.

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GOVERNMENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES FOR THE APPLICATION AND CONTROL OF TECHNOLOGY IN RELATION TO MAN'S ENVIRONMENT
OECD. ENVIRONMENT DIRECTORATE
ENGLISH 00/00/71 PGS 1-37 EPA ID# 01989A

THIS PAPER DISCUSSES GOVERNMENTAL RESPONSIBILITIES IN RELATION TO MAN'S ENVIRONMENT AND REFERS TO THE GENERAL POLICY IMPLICATIONS ARISING FROM THE OECD'S STUDIES IN THE PUBLIC DOMAIN, NOTABLY ON THE EUTROPHICATION OF LAKES AND RIVERS, THE PROBLEM OF SULFUR IN THE ATMOSPHERE, THE UNINTENDED OCCURRENCE OF PESTICIDES, URBAN TRAFFIC NOISE, AND THE SONIC BOOM. THE PAPER DRAWS ATTENTION TO THE POSSIBLE CONFLICTS THAT MAY ARISE BETWEEN DESIRED AND NECESSARY TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION AND DEVELOPMENT, AND THE UNDESIRED EFFECTS ON MAN'S ENVIRONMENT. THE PAPER SUGGESTS WHY POLICY MAKERS SHOULD HAVE A ROLE IN ASSESSING NEW TECHNOLOGY BEFORE AND AFTER IT IS INTRODUCED INTO USE.

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PROBLEMS OF ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS
ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT EPA
ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 1-278 ID# 01528A
ALSO PMA
AIR WATER SOLID WASTE NOISE RADIATION PESTICIDES

THIS VOLUME CONSTITUTES A RECORD OF THE SUMMER 1971 SEMINAR OF THE ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT (OECD), INCLUDING THE TEXT OF THE PAPERS PRESENTED. THE TITLES OF THE PAPERS ARE GROUPED UNDER THREE MAIN HEADINGS: METHODS OF ANALYSIS AND ENVIRONMENTAL INDICATORS; PROBLEMS AND INSTRUMENTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL COST ALLOCATION; AND INTERNATIONAL PROBLEMS. THE AIM OF THE SEMINAR, HELD FROM JUNE TO AUGUST 1971, WAS TO PROVIDE THE CENTRAL ANALYSIS AND ECONOMIC EVALUATION UNIT OF OECD WITH INFORMATION TO CHART THE PROBLEMS POSED BY ENVIRONMENTAL ECONOMICS. THE VOLUME CONTAINS A SUMMARY OF THE PAPERS (AS WELL AS THEIR COMPLETE TEXT), AN INTRODUCTORY PAPER BY W. BECKERMAN ON ENVIRONMENTAL POLICY ISSUES: REAL AND FICTITIOUS; AND A LIST OF THE PARTICIPANTS AT THE SEMINAR.

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SURVEY OF POLLUTION CONTROL COST ESTIMATES MADE IN MEMBER COUNTRIES
ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT EPA
ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 1-23 ID# 01531A

THIS PUBLICATION LISTS THE POLLUTION CONTROL COST ESTIMATES FOR MANY OF THE STATES BELONGING TO THE ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT. STATISTICS OF VARYING DEGREES OF COMPLETENESS AND COMPARABILITY ARE PRESENTED FOR AUSTRIA, DENMARK, FINLAND, (WEST) GERMANY, ITALY, JAPAN, NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, SPAIN, SWEDEN, SWITZERLAND, UNITED KINGDOM, AND THE UNITED STATES.

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SE( ) ENGLISH 10/00/71 PGS 1-30 ID# 01532A
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AIR WATER

THIS PUBLICATION DESCRIBES THE AIMS AND THE WORK OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE OF THE ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC CO-OPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT. UPON ITS FOUNDING THE COMMITTEE WAS GIVEN THE MANDATE OF INVESTIGATING THE PROBLEMS OF PRESERVING AND IMPROVING THE ENVIRONMENT, WITH SPECIAL ATTENTION TO THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL IMPACT; TO REVIEW AND CONFRONT ACTIONS TAKEN OR PROPOSED BY MEMBER STATES; TO PROPOSE SOLUTIONS TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS; AND TO INSURE THAT RESULTS OF RESEARCH BE EFFECTIVELY USED WITHIN THE FRAMEWORK OF THE ORGANISATION'S WORK IN ECONOMIC PLANNING AND SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT. THE PUBLICATION DESCRIBES THE COMMITTEE NOTIFICATION AND CONSULTATION PROCEDURE (ALERTING SYSTEM), THE CENTRAL ANALYSIS AND EVALUATION UNIT (CAEU), THE WORK OF THE AD-HOC GROUPS WITH SPECIFIC INDUSTRIES, AND THE SECTOR MANAGEMENT GROUPS (WATER, AIR, CHEMICALS IN THE ENVIRONMENT, AND THE PROBLEMS OF THE URBAN ENVIRONMENT). THE CAEU AND THE AD HOC GROUPS WILL STUDY THE EFFECTS OF POLLUTION COSTS ON NATIONAL COMPETITIVENESS IN INDUSTRY.

OECD
"THE NEED FOR INTERGOVERNMENTAL CO-OPERATION AND COORDINATION REGARDING THE ENVIRONMENT." OECD OBSERVER, NO. 50
ELDIN, GERARD EPA
SE( ) ENGLISH 02/00/71 PGS 3-7 ID# 01981A

THIS ARTICLE BY THE DEPUTY SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE OECD IS A SUMMARY OF A LECTURE DELIVERED TO THE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE AND STRATEGY FOR ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY IMPROVEMENT IN THE SEVENTIES, HELD IN WASHINGTON, D.C. IN JANUARY 1971. IT DEALS CHIEFLY WITH THE PROBLEMS ARISING NOT FROM ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS IN THEMSELVES BUT FROM MEASURES TAKEN AT THE NATIONAL LEVEL TO DEAL WITH THEM. THESE PROBLEMS, IDENTIFIED AS MAINLY ECONOMIC, ARE DISCUSSED AS BELONGING TO THREE POSSIBLE AREAS OF CONFLICT: PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND INTERNATIONAL TRADE; PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND THE LOCATION OF INDUSTRIES; AND PROTECTION OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND ECONOMIC GROWTH. THE CONCLUDING SECTION CONSIDERS WAYS IN WHICH NATIONS, PARTICULARLY THE HIGHLY INDUSTRIALIZED NATIONS OF THE OECD, MIGHT COOPERATION IN THE SPHERE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION IN ORDER TO PRODUCE THE GREATEST GOOD FOR THE INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY.

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SECTOR GROUP ON UNINTENDED OCCURRENCE OF CHEMICALS IN THE ENVIRONMENT: CONTROL OF MERCURY USE AND EMISSION (NR/ENV/72.41)
ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT EPA
ST( ) ENGLISH 09/04/72 PGS VARIOUS ID# 01533A
ALSO LRB AND PMB

THIS DOCUMENT CONSISTS OF A COVER SHEET, TABLE OF CONTENTS, AND SEVEN SEPARATELY PAGINATED APPENDIXES. THE LATTER ARE THE APPENDIXES TO THE REPORT OF THE WORKING PARTY OF EXPERTS ON MERCURY, MADE UP OF MEMBERS FROM JAPAN, SWEDEN, CANADA, AND THE UNITED STATES. THE APPENDIXES ARE TITLED: SPECIFIC AREAS IN JAPAN SUBJECTED TO MERCURY POLLUTION COUNTERMEASURES; INDUSTRIAL LICENSING CATEGORIES SPECIFIED UNDER THE SWEDISH ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION LAW; REGULATIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF MERCURY IN LIQUID EFFLUENTS DISCHARGED BY CHLORALKALI PLANTS (CANADA); GUIDES TO PROVISIONAL CONTROL MEASURES AGAINST ENVIRONMENTAL POLLUTION BY MERCURY (JAPAN);COSTS OF REDUCING MERCURY CONTENT IN LIQUID EFFLUENTS AT CHLORALKALI PLANTS (SWEDEN); AN EXAMPLE OF GOOD PRACTICAL MERCURY RECOVERY TECHNOLOGY APPLIED TO A MERCURY CELL CHLORALKALI PLANT (CANADA); AND "REPORT ON THE TREATMENT OF WASTE STREAMS CONTAINING MERCURY," MINISTRY OF TRADE AND INDUSTRY, JAPAN (1971).

UNESCO

PLAN FOR A LONG-TERM INTERGOVERNMENTAL AND INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAMME ON MAN AND THE BIOSPHERE.
UNESCO EPA
PM(A) ENGLISH 10/06/70 PGS 1-31 ID# 00309A

THIS REPORT, SUBMITTED BY THE DIRECTOR-GENERAL OF UNESCO AT THE 16TH SESSION OF THE GENERAL CONFERENCE IN RESPONSE TO A RESOLUTION ADOPTED AT THE PREVIOUS SESSION, CONTAINS PROPOSALS FOR A LONG-TERM INTERGOVERNMENTAL AND INTERDISCIPLINARY PROGRAM ON THE RATIONAL USE AND CONSERVATION OF THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT AND ITS RESOURCES. SUBSTANTIVE ASPECTS OF THE PROGRAM AND PROCEDURES FOR IMPLEMENTING IT ARE PRESENTED.

UNITED NATIONS

LET US TREAD GENTLY
EBAN, ABBA EPA
LR(B) ENGLISH 06/06/72 PGS 1-8 ID# 01502A
ALSO SE AND PMA

ABBA EBAN, ISRAELI MINISTER OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS, IN THIS ADDRESS TO THE UNITED NATIONS CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT IN STOCKHOLM STRESSES THE APPLICATION OF TECHNOLOGICAL SOLUTIONS TO ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS AND OF CONTROLS AND RESTRAINTS ON EXISTING DEVELOPMENT POLICIES AS MORE REALISTIC THAN THE FREEZING OF INDUSTRIAL GROWTH. THERE IS NO NEED FOR ECOLOGICAL ALARMISM THAT COULD INHIBIT THE INTERNATIONAL MOVEMENT FOR THE ACCELERATED PROGRESS OF DEVELOPING STATES. HE URGES THE CONFERENCE TO PROCEED WITH A BALANCED SENSE OF ITS POTENTIALITY AND ITS LIMITATIONS. WHILE IT CANNOT RESOLVE THE ISSUES OF THE ENVIRONMENT, IT CAN SET AN INTERNATIONAL POLICY FOR THE ULTIMATE SOLUTION. LET US TREAD GENTLY, HE CONCLUDES, THIS PLANET IS OUR ONLY INHERITANCE.

GENERAL

UNITED NATIONS

OKHRANA PRIRODY I MEZHDUNARODNYYE OTNOSHENIYA (PRESERVATION OF NATURE AND INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS)
CHICHVARIN, V.A. EPA
LP(B) RUSSIAN 00/00/70 PGS 1-288 ID# 01580A
ALSO ST, SE

THE AUTHOR EVALUATES PRINCIPLES OF INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND VARIOUS INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS IN TERMS OF NATURAL REQUIREMENTS. HE DESCRIBES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION LEGISLATION AND GOALS IN THE SOVIET UNION AND COOPERATION AMONG SOCIALIST COUNTRIES. SOCIOECONOMIC FEATURES OF INTERNATIONAL AGREEMENTS AND PROBLEMS ARISING FROM DIFFERENT ECONOMIC NEEDS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES ARE DISCUSSED. AREAS IN WHICH GREATER INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IS NECESSARY INCLUDE PRESERVATION OF THE FAUNA, PRESERVATION OF THE REGIONAL BALANCE IN VARIOUS PARTS OF THE WORLD, REGULATION OF WATER RESOURCES TO PREVENT THEIR EXHAUSTION, PROTECTION OF NATURE AGAINST DISEASE, PESTS AND FIRE, AND CONTROL OF ALL TYPES OF POLLUTION. THE AUTHOR REVIEWS THE ROLE OF THE UNITED NATIONS IN ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AND ENVISIONS THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A CONSOLIDATED INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATION ON CONSERVATION.

UNITED NATIONS

REPORT OF THE SYMPOSIUM ON PROBLEMS RELATING TO ENVIRONMENT
UN. ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE EPA
ES(A) ENGLISH 06/22/71 PGS 1-27 ID# 00311A
ALSO SE

THIS REPORT ON THE ENVIRONMENTAL SYMPOSIUM HELD IN PRAGUE, CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN MAY, 1971, UNDER THE AEGIS OF THE ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL OF THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE, CONTAINS A SURVEY OF THE PRESENT ENVIRONMENTAL SITUATION, INCLUDING A DETAILED EXAMINATION OF PROBLEM AREAS VIEWED AS GENERATORS OF ENVIRONMENTAL DETERIORATION. MEANS OF COMBATTING ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS AT NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL LEVELS ARE DISCUSSED WITH PARTICULAR EMPHASIS ON THE NEED FOR IMPROVED ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION FACILITIES, PROBLEMS IN ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT AND ECONOMIC IMPACT, COST, AND METHODS OF FINANCING ENVIRONMENTAL IMPROVEMENTS.

UNITED NATIONS

UN CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT: ROUND-UP OF ACTIONS TAKEN.
U.S. DEPT. OF STATE. BUR. INT. SCI. AND TECH. AFFAIRS EPA
ES(B) ENGLISH 06/21/72 PGS 1-53 ID# 00315A
ALSO PHA
WATER AIR PESTICIDES RADIATION SOLID WASTE

DISCUSSIONS OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS AT THE STOCKHOLM CONFERENCE IN JUNE, 1972, WERE ORGANIZED UNDER SIX SUBJECT AREAS: PLANNING AND MANAGEMENT OF HUMAN SETTLEMENTS; NATURAL RESOURCES MANAGEMENT AND CONSERVATION; IDENTIFICATION AND CONTROL OF POLLUTION; EDUCATIONAL, INFORMATIONAL, SOCIAL AND CULTURAL ASPECTS; ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT; AND INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS. VARIOUS PROPOSALS FOR DEALING WITH ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS AND POSITIONS TAKEN BY U.S. DELEGATES ARE DISCUSSED. SPECIFIC TOPICS CONSIDERED BY THE CONFERENCE INCLUDE: OCEAN DUMPING; POLLUTION BY HEAVY METALS AND ORGANOCHLORINES; WORLD-WIDE MONITORING OF POLLUTION OF THE OCEANS, ATMOSPHERE AND LAND, AND EFFECTS ON HUMAN HEALTH ("EARTHWATCH" PROGRAM); EFFECTS OF POLLUTION ON HUMAN GENETIC MAKE-UP; ENDANGERED SPECIES AND THE WHALING MORATORIUM; INTERNATIONAL COORDINATION OF ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES; AND DEVELOPMENT OF AN ENVIRONMENTAL INFORMATION SERVICE. TEXT OF A RESOLUTION ON ESTABLISHING A UN ENVIRONMENTAL ORGANIZATION IS INCLUDED.

UNITED NATIONS "EXCERPTS FROM NATIONAL REPORTS." SWEDEN NOW. NO.2

PM(A) ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 36-38 EPA ID# 00776A
ALSO SE
SOLID WASTE NOISE

EXCERPTS ARE GIVEN FROM THE NATIONAL REPORTS PREPARED BY AFGHANISTAN, INDIA, NETHERLANDS, EAST GERMANY, UKRAINIAN SSR, KENYA, CHINA, JAPAN, UNITED STATES, AND WEST GERMANY FOR THE U.N. CONFERENCE ON HUMAN ENVIRONMENT. THEY DEAL WITH SETTLEMENTS, NATURAL RESOURCES, POLLUTANTS OF WATER, AIR AND SOIL, SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT ASPECTS, AND PROPOSALS FOR INTERNATIONAL ACTION. THE EXCERPT FROM INDIA DEALS MAINLY WITH EXTINCTION OF WILDLIFE; HOLLAND IS TROUBLED BY POPULATION AND WATER POLLUTION (ESP. THE RHINE); KENYA TYPIFIES THE PROBLEMS OF DEVELOPING COUNTRIES.

UNITED NATIONS "THE ENVIRONMENT CONFERENCE IN STOCKHOLM." AUSSENPOLITIK
TIMMLER, MARKUS

PM(A) GERMAN 10/00/72 PGS 618-628 EPA ID# 01509A
ALSO SE

THIS ARTICLE BY TIMMLER DISCUSSES THE INTERNATIONAL POLITICAL ASPECTS OF THE U.N. CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT HELD AT STOCKHOLM IN 1972. TIMMLER DISTINGUISHES THREE MAJOR POLITICAL FACTORS THAT SHAPED THE COURSE AND RESULTS OF THE CONFERENCE: THE STANCE OF THE COMMUNIST CHINESE, THE WAY THAT THE DEVELOPING STATES BROUGHT THEIR INTERESTS TO THE FORE, AND THE RECOGNITION THAT DEVELOPING STATES AND INDUSTRIALIZED STATES DO HAVE CERTAIN PROBLEMS IN COMMON. IN THE ARTICLE HE ALSO DISCUSSES THE FAILURE OF THE SOVIET BLOC TO PARTICIPATE IN THE CONFERENCE, THE NEGOTIATIONS ON EAST GERMAN PARTICIPATION, PREPARATIONS FOR THE CONFERENCE, THE DISPLEASURE OF THE DEVELOPING STATES, AND THE QUESTION OF NUCLEAR WEAPONS. APPENDED TO THE ARTICLE ARE THE 10 POINTS OF THE PROPOSED CHINESE DECLARATION ON THE ENVIRONMENT.

UNITED NATIONS "THE INTERNATIONAL CHARACTER OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION." AUSSENPOLITIK, V. 23
BURCHARD, HANS-JOACHIM

PM(A) GERMAN 12/00/72 PGS 740-747 EPA ID# 01518A
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THIS ARTICLE BY BURCHARD EMPHASIZES THE URGENCY OF WORLDWIDE ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING AND INFORMATION EXCHANGE TO DETECT AND CONTROL NEW ENVIRONMENTAL DANGERS. POINTING TO THE 1972 U.N. CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT AS A GOOD START, HE RAISES THE QUESTION WHETHER AN INTERNATIONA ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM WILL RESULT OR WHETHER THE MULTIPLICITY OF UNCOORDINATED NATIONAL PROGRAMS WILL CONTINUE. AS A MODEL OF REGIONAL COOPERATION, HE CITES THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMUNITY, CENTERED AROUND FOUR GOALS: CONTROL OR ELIMINATION OF HARMFUL EFFECTS ARISING FROM TECHNOLOGICAL PROGRESS, PRESERVATION OF NATURAL SOURCES OF SUPPLY THROUGH MONITORING THE ECOLOGICAL BALANCE AND PROTECTING THE BIOSPHERE, ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING TO AVOID THE ILLS OF URBANIZATION, AND THE MANAGEMENT AND PROMOTION OF PROGRESS WITH THE VIEW OF MEETING REAL NEEDS, ESPECIALLY IN THE QUALITATIVE RESPECT.

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UNITED NATIONS

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"STOCKHOLM ENVIRONMENTAL CONFERENCE: PASSING THE BUCK." DIE ZEIT, V. 27, NO. 24
BINDER, SEPP
GERMAN 06/16/72 PGS 5# EPA ID# 01626A

THIS ARTICLE GIVES A GENERAL PICTURE OF THE VARIOUS GROUPS AND ACTIVITIES ASSOCIATED WITH THE U.N. CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT, HELD IN STOCKHOLM IN JUNE 1972. SPECIAL ATTENTION IS PAID TO CONFLICTS AMONG OFFICIAL DELEGATIONS AND TO THE ACTIVITIES OF GROUPS SUCH AS THE ENVIRONMENTAL FORUM WHICH, SKEPTICAL OF THE ABILITY OF THE U.N. CONFERENCE TO DEAL EFFECTIVELY WITH THE PROBLEMS OF THE ENVIRONMENT AND MISTRUSTFUL OF ITS AIMS, HELD THEIR OWN FRINGE CONFERENCES TO COINCIDE WITH THE OFFICIAL ONE.

UNITED NATIONS

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"PROGRAM FOR THE EARTH." DIE ZEIT, V. 27, NO. 25
KUENHEIM, EDUG VON
GERMAN 06/23/72 PGS 6 EPA ID# 01628A

THIS ARTICLE MAINTAINS THAT, DESPITE INDICATIONS THAT NATIONS CONSIDER THEIR OWN SOVEREIGNTY MORE IMPORTANT THAN THE FUTURE OF THE PLANET, THE STOCKHOLM CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT PERFORMED AN IMPORTANT FUNCTION BY GIVING ENVIRONMENTAL QUESTIONS AN IMPORTANT AND PERMANENT PLACE ON THE AGENDA OF INTERNATIONAL POLITICS. THE AUTHOR DISCUSSES DIFFICULTIES ENCOUNTERED AT THE CONFERENCE, FOR EXAMPLE, PROBLEMS IN PREPARING THE DECLARATION ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT CAUSED BY CHINA'S EFFORTS TO FOCUS ON COLONIALISM AND IMPERIALISM AS IMPORTANT ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS. THE MOST PROMINENT DIFFICULTY, HOWEVER, WAS THE FEELING ON THE PART OF DEVELOPING NATIONS THAT ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION MEASURES MAY BE SIMPLY A MEANS OF KEEPING THEM IN THEIR PRESENT STATE BY PREVENTING THEM FROM ADEQUATELY DEVELOPING THEIR RESOURCES. THE AUTHOR POINTS OUT THAT MUCH PERSUASION WILL BE NECESSARY BEFORE THESE NATIONS OVERCOME THEIR DISTRUST BUT ADDS THAT AT THE PRESENT IT IS THE INDUSTRIALIZED NATIONS WHICH MUST MEET THE MAJOR CHALLENGES OF STOCKHOLM.

UNITED NATIONS

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MEZINARODNI ZKUSENOTSI V OBLASTI ZIVOTNIHO PROSTREDI (INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN THE SPHERE OF ENVIRONMENTAL CARE)
SOK, ANTONIN
CZECH 00/00/73 PGS 1-180 EPA ID# 01736A

PUBLISHED BY THE ENVIRONMENTAL COUNCIL OF THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CZECH SOCIALIST REPUBLIC, THIS BOOK IS BASED ON THE RESULTS OF THE SYMPOSIUM OF THE UN ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE. PART I OF THE PUBLICATION DEALS WITH THE UN CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT, THE PREPARATION FOR AND THE STRUCTURE AND RESULTS OF THE CONFERENCE. THE SECOND PART DISCUSSES THE ADOPTION BY THE XXVII GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE UN ENVIRONMENTAL PROGRAM. PART III TAKES UP EXPERIENCES IN INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL COLLABORATION AND THEIR APPLICABILITY IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA. PART IV DOCUMENTS THE SOVIET PEACE PROGRAMS, VARIOUS SOVIET ENVIRONMENTAL RESOLUTIONS, ENVIRONMENTAL AND HEALTH PACTS BETWEEN THE UNITED STATES AND THE SOVIET UNION, RECENT US ENVIRONMENTAL LEGISLATION, AND A TOPICAL SURVEY OF THE MAIN RECOMMENDATIONS ADOPTED AT THE UN CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT IN STOCKHOLM.

UNITED NATIONS

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THE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME. APPROVAL OF ACTIVITIES WITHIN THE ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME IN LIGHT INTER ALIA OF THEIR IMPLICATIONS FOR THE FUND PROGRAMME.
UNITED NATIONS ENVIRONMENT PROGRAMME
ENGLISH 12/02/73 PGS 1-139 EPA
ALSO SE ID# 01907A

THIS REPORT PRESENTS INFORMATION AND PROPOSALS TO THE GOVERNING COUNCIL (U.N. ENVIRONMENT PROGRAM), AT A SESSION TO BE HELD IN NAIROBI, MARCH 11-22, 1974, IN RESPONSE TO ITS DECISIONS CONCERNING THE OBJECTIVES, PRIORITIES AND TASKS OF THE UNEP AND ITS FUTURE DEVELOPMENT. THE ARRANGEMENT OF THE REPORT FOLLOWS BROADLY THE ORDER OF THE PRIORITY SUBJECT AREAS OF THE PROGRAM SET UP BY THE COUNCIL. THE GENERAL PRIORITY AREAS DISCUSSED IN CHAPTER II INCLUDE: HUMAN SETTLEMENTS, HUMAN HEALTH, HABITAT, AND WELL-BEING; LAND, WATER, AND DESERTIFICATION; TRADE, ECONOMICS, TECHNOLOGY AND TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER; OCEANS; AND CONSERVATION OF NATURE, WILDLIFE, AND GENETIC RESOURCES. CHAPTER III CONCERNS FUNCTIONAL TASKS: ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT (EARTHWATCH), ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT, AND SUPPORT MEASURES (INFORMATION, EDUCATION, TRAINING, AND TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE). THE FINAL CHAPTER DEALS WITH THE FUTURE DEVELOPMENT OF THE PROGRAM.

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ECE SYMPOSIUM ON PROBLEMS RELATING TO ENVIRONMENT
ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE
ENGLISH 00/00/71 PGS 1-386 EPA
ALSO PMA, PMB ID# 00308A
WATER AIR RADIATION SOLID WASTE

THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL SYMPOSIUM HELD IN PRAGUE IN MAY, 1971, FOCUS ON SOCIO-ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF POLLUTION PROBLEMS RESULTING FROM NUCLEAR ENERGY PRODUCTION; CHEMICAL, PETROCHEMICAL, METALLURGICAL, CONSTRUCTION AND TRANSPORTATION INDUSTRIES; AGRICULTURE, FORESTRY AND FISHING INDUSTRIES; AND SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL. NATIONAL REPORTS SUBMITTED BY ECE MEMBERS DEAL WITH: GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES AND NATIONAL POLICIES CONCERNING ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS; EDUCATION, RESEARCH AND INFORMATION DISTRIBUTION; METHODS OF MONITORING AND CONTROLLING POLLUTION; PLANNING AND IMPLEMENTING ENVIRONMENTAL POLICIES; EFFECTS OF POLLUTION ON HEALTH; CONSERVATION OF WATER RESOURCES; RECLAMATION OF MINING AREAS; AND SOLID WASTE DISPOSAL AND LAND REHABILITATION.

UNITED NATIONS

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ZAKLADNI MATERIALY ZE SYMPOSIA EVROPSKE HOSPODARSKE KOMISE OSN O ZIVOTNIM PROSTREDI (BASIC MATERIALS FROM THE EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMITTEE SYMPOSIUM ON THE ENVIRONMENT)
CZECH 00/00/72 PGS 1-69 EPA
ALSO PMA ID# 01016A

THIS BOOK CONTAINS A SERIES OF TALKS, ARTICLES, REPORTS AND SUMMARIES DESIGNED TO COVER IN BRIEF FORMAT THE ESSENTIALS OF THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE SYMPOSIUM OF THE U.N. EUROPEAN ECONOMIC COMMITTEE ON THE ENVIRONMENT HELD IN CZECHOSLOVAKIA IN MAY 1971. THE CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE SYMPOSIU SUMMARIZED IN THIS BOOK DEAL WITH THE SOCIO-ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION, MAN'S ROLE AS CREATOR AND DESTROYER OF A HEALTHY ENVIRONMENT, THE POSITIONS OF INDIVIDUAL STATES VIS A VI THE ENVIRONMENT, SECTORS OF THE NATIONAL ECONOMIES THAT POSE A SPECIAL THREAT TO THE MAINTENANCE OF A HEALTHY ENVIRONMENT. THE BOOK NOTES THAT DETAILED COMPILATIONS OF THE SYMPOSIUM PROCEEDINGS ARE AVAILABLE IN THE OFFICIAL LANGUAGES OF THE UNITED NATIONS.

GENERAL

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"ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH." THE WORK OF WHO 1971. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL TO THE WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS. (OFFICIAL RECORDS, NO. 197)
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP. EPA
ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 93-110 ID# 01969A

PM(A)

AIR WATER RADIATION

CHAPTER 5 OF THIS ANNUAL REPORT ENTITLED "ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH" REVIEWS THE 1971 WORK OF THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION IN THE FIELD OF THE ENVIRONMENT. IT COVERS THE AIMS OF THE WHO PROGRAM IN ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH, EFFECTS OF POLLUTION (AIR, WATER, AND RADIATION) AND OTHER HAZARDS, BASIC SANITARY MEASURES, RESEARCH AND BASIC TECHNOLOGICAL DEVELOPMENTS IN BASIC SANITARY MEASURES, IMPROVEMENT IN THE LIVING AND WORKING ENVIRONMENT, METHODS AND USES OF RADIATION AND RADIOISOTOPES, ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PLANNING, AND COLLABORATION WITH OTHER INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS. INCLUDED ARE A WORLD MAP OF THE WHO NETWORK OF AIR POLLUTION REFERENCE CENTERS AND LABORATORIES, DATA ON WATER-SUPPLY AND SEWERAGE SYSTEMS, AND A WORLD MAP INDICATING 1971 DATA ON THE UN DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM/WHO-ASSISTED PRE-INVESTMENT STUDIES FOR COMMUNITY WATER SUPPLY AND WASTE DISPOSAL.

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"PLANNING OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS" WHO CHRONICLE, V. 24, N. 7
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IN THIS ARTICLE EMPHASIS IS PLACED ON NOT LIMITING ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS IN DEVELOPING COUNTRIES SOLELY TO WATER SUPPLY AND WASTE DISPOSAL WHICH MAY BE INCONSISTENT WITH A COUNTRY'S OTHER HEALTH NEEDS AND MAY BE DETRIMENTAL TO ITS SOCIO-ECONOMIC DEVELOPMENT. THE FOLLOWING SUGGESTIONS ARE MADE FOR THE PLANNING OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PROGRAMS: 1) IT MAY BE HELPFUL TO LINK THE ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH PROGRAM WITH THE COUNTRY'S MAJOR NEEDS, STRESSING THE SOCIO-ECONOMIC BENEFITS THAT MIGHT ACCRUE, 2) INDIVIDUALS, COMMUNITIES, AND INDUSTRY SHOULD BE MADE TO ASSUME A REASONABLE PART OF THE FINANCIAL BURDEN OF IMPROVING THE ENVIRONMENT, 3) SPECIAL CARE SHOULD BE TAKEN TO ACHIEVE CO-ORDINATION AT THE HIGHEST POLICY, MAKING LEVEL, NAMELY BETWEEN MINISTRIES. 4) WHEN ESTABLISHING LEGAL STANDARDS, ACCOUNT MUST BE TAKEN OF TECHNOLOGICAL FEASIBILITY AND ECONOMIC CONSIQUENCES. 5) REGULAR EVALUATION OF ACTIVITIES IS ESSENTIAL. 6) PROGRAMS FORMULATED ON A NATIONAL BASIS MAY HAVE TO BE EXTENDED BY BILATERAL OR MULTILATERAL AGREEMENTS.

WHO

"THE LONG-TERM EFFECTS OF AIR POLLUTION ON HEALTH" WHO CHRONICLE, V. 28, NO. 1
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GERMAN
*GENERAL AIR 07/21/73 PGS 6 EPA
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INTERNATIONAL

LE(B) SUMMARY OF WORLD'S ENVIRONMENTAL LAW: NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL, AND MODEL NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL STATUTES: AIR, WATER, NOISE AND WEATHER MODIFICATION
OYNES, CHRIS C.
ENGLISH
*AIR WATER 00/00/73 PGS 1-22 EPA ID# 01988A

OECD

PM(A) "THE IMPACT OF THE AUTOMOBILE ON THE ENVIRONMENT." OECD OBSERVER, NO. 53
ORSKI, KENNETH
ENGLISH
ALSO SE 06/00/71 PGS 31-35 EPA
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ALSO SE
*GENERAL SOLID WASTE

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PM(B)

JULY 2, 1970, COUNCIL OF EUROPE) RESOLUTION (70) 24 ON REGULATING THE MANUFACTURE, MARKETING, AND USE OF PESTICIDES . . . ANNUAIRE EUROPEAN/EUROPEAN YEARBOOK, V. 18 EPA
COUNCIL OF EUROPE
ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 267-273 ID# 01955A
ALSO FRENCH, LRS

THIS RESOLUTION DRAWS TO THE ATTENTION OF MEMBER STATES THE NEED FOR COMPLEMENTARY LEGISLATIVE CONTROL TO MAKE SURE THAT THE MANUFACTURE, MARKETING, AND USE OF PESTICIDES WILL COMPLY WITH REQUIREMENTS FOR PROTECTING PUBLIC HEALTH AND THE ENVIRONMENT. IT RECOMMENDS THAT MEMBER STATES SUPPORT ACTION TAKEN TO STANDARDIZE PESTICIDE CONTROL METHODS, EMPLOY WHERE POSSIBLE A BIOLOGIST IN THE ORGANIZATION RESPONSIBLE FOR AUTHORIZATION OF PESTICIDE USE, AND ACCELERATE RESEARCH PROGRAMS ON THE CONTAMINATION OF THE ENVIRONMENT BY PESTICIDES. GOVERNMENTS OF MEMBER STATES ARE REQUESTED TO NOTIFY THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE EVERY THREE YEARS OF ACTIONS THEY HAVE TAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THESE RECOMMENDATIONS. AN APPENDIX CITES PRINCIPLES RELATING TO THE MANUFACTURE, MARKETING AND USE OF PESTICIDES, PROPOSES REGULATIONS FOR THE CONTROL OF PESTICIDES, MEASURES FOR PROTECTING THE ENVIRONMENT DURING THE APPLICATION OF PESTICIDES, AND PENALTIES FOR VIOLATION.

EAST AFRICAN COMM.

"CONTROL OF PESTICIDES ACT 1969." EAST AFRICAN COMMUNITY GAZETTE SUPPLEMENT NO. 22 (ACTS NO. 3)

LR(A)

ENGLISH 12/31/69 PGS 56-68 EPA ID# 01744A

THIS ACT, THE FULL TITLE OF WHICH IS "AN ACT OF THE COMMUNITY TO REGULATE THE MANUFACTURE, IMPORTATION, SALE AND DISTRIBUTION OF PESTICIDES IN EAST AFRICA, TO ESTABLISH THE EAST AFRICAN PESTICIDES CONTROL ORGANIZATION, AND TO PROVIDE FOR MATTERS CONNECTED THEREWITH," SETS UP THE EAST AFRICAN PESTICIDES CONTROL ORGANIZATION WITH THE POWERS TO PERFORM, IN THE MANNER SPECIFIED IN THE ACT, THE FOLLOWING FUNCTIONS THROUGHOUT KENYA, UGANDA, AND TANZANIA: REGULATE IMPORTATION, MANUFACTURE, DISTRIBUTION, LABELLING, MARKING OR IDENTIFICATION AND USE OF PESTICIDES OR ANY SUBSTANCES USED IN THEIR MANUFACTURE; REGISTER PESTICIDES; AND ADVISE THE GOVERNMENTS OR THE PARTNER STATES OR OTHER PERSONS ON THE MANUFACTURE OF PESTICIDES AND THEIR SUITABILITY FOR USE. THE MEMBERSHIP AND CONSTITUTION OF THE ORGANIZATION ARE DETAILED AS WELL AS ITS FINANCIAL ORGANIZATION. THE ORGANIZATION MAY APPOINT INSPECTORS AND ANALYSTS, WHOSE FUNCTIONS ARE GIVEN IN THE ACT. OFFENSES AGAINST THE ACT AND PENALTIES ARE ALSO SPECIFIED.

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PESTICIDE RESIDUES IN FOOD
UN. FAO AND WHO

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ENGLISH 00/00/71 PGS 1-44 EPA ID# 00318A

THIS REPORT ON THE JOINT MEETING BETWEEN THE FOOD AND AGRICULTURAL ORGANIZATION'S WORKING PARTY OF EXPERTS ON PESTICIDE RESIDUES AND THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION'S EXPERT COMMITTEE ON PESTICIDE RESIDUES, HEL IN ROME IN NOVEMBER, 1970, CONTAINS AN EVALUATION OF PESTICIDES, NOT STUDIED PREVIOUSLY, IN TERMS OF ESTIMATED INTAKE, ACCEPTABLE DAILY INTAKE, TOLERANCES AND PRACTICAL RESIDUE LIMITS. ANNEX 1 OF THE REPORT CONSISTS OF A SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATIONS ON ACCEPTABLE DAILY INTAKE LEVELS, TOLERANCES AND PRACTICAL RESIDUE LIMITS, AND INCLUDES A DETAILED INDEX TO RELEVENT DOCUMENTATION. ANNEX 2 IS A LISTING OF FURTHER WORK OR INFORMATION REQUIRED.

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"A NEW FORM OF INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATION: THE PROBLEM OF PERSISTENT CHEMICALS." OECD OBSERVER, NO. 52

PM(E)

ENGLISH 06/00/71 PGS 10-11 EPA ID# 01987A

THIS ARTICLE DISCUSSES TWO OECD MOVES TO DEAL WITH PROBLEMS OF PERSISTENT CHEMICALS (PCB'S, MERCURY AND LEAD COMPOUNDS, ETC.) AND WITH THE CONSEQUENCES OF GOVERNMENTAL ATTEMPTS TO CONTROL THEM. FIRST CONSIDERED IS THE PROJECTED WORK OF THE NEWLY ESTABLISHED SECTOR GROUP ON UNINTENDED OCCURRENCE OF CHEMICALS IN THE ENVIRONMENT, WHICH IS INTENDED TO HELP GOVERNMENTS OBTAIN INFORMATION ON CHEMICALS AND THEIR EFFECTS, TO OFFER POSSIBLE ALTERNATIVES TO THEIR USE TO ESTIMATE THE COSTS AND LIKELY EFFECTS OF VARIOUS ALTERNATIVES, AND TO PROPOSE CONCERTED ACTION AMONG MEMBER NATIONS. THE ARTICLE THEN OUTLINES A NEW SCHEME BY WHICH MEMBER STATES, WORKING THROUGH THE OECD SECRETARIAT, ARE TO INFORM OTHER STATES OF PROSPECTIVE LEGISLATIVE AND ADMINISTRATIVE REGULATIONS REGARDING HAZARDOUS SUBSTANCES, SO THAT, WHERE IT IS DEEMED NECESSARY CONSULTATIVE SESSIONS ON THE IMPLICATIONS OF THE LEGISLATION, ESPECIALLY WITH REGARD TO INTERNATIONAL TRADE, CAN BE HELD. A FLOW CHART ILLUSTRATES THIS PROCEDURE.

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ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 1-75 ID# 01607A
*WATER AIR

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"HEALTH LEGISLATION: THE CONTROL OF PESTICIDES" WHO CHRONICLE V. 24, N. 11, NOV, 1970.
EPA
ENGLISH 11/00/70 PGS 516-520 ID# 02008A

THIS ARTICLE DEALS WITH THE MOST IMPORTANT FEATURES OF PESTICIDE LEGISLATION IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES. LEGISLATION IS DISCUSSED CONCERNING THE REGISTRATION, APPROVAL, LICENSING, CONTROL OF MANUFACTURE, SUPPLY, APPLICATION, LABELLING, AND AERIAL APPLICATION OF PESTICIDES. ALSO INCLUDED IS LEGISLATION CONCERNING THE AMOUNT OF RESIDUES IN FOODSTUFFS OF PESTICIDES, PROTECTION OF THOSE WHO WORK WITH TOXIC CHEMICALS, TRANSPORTATION OF PESTICIDES, AND PREVENTION OF CONTAMINATION OF THE ENVIRONMENT.

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"INFORMATION ON THE ACTIVITIES OF THE COUNCIL OF ECONOMIC COOPERATION IN TREATMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROBLEMS." BIULLETEN' PO VODNOMU KHOZYAYSTVU, NO. 8, 1971
RUMYANTSEV, A. AND B. MATE

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RUSSIAN 00/00/71 PGS 161-168 ID# 01589A
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*GENERAL AIR WATER

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NUCLEAR LEGISLATION. ANALYTIC STUDY. REGULATIONS GOVERNING NUCLEAR INSTALLATIONS AND RADIATION PROTECTION.
OECD. NUCLEAR ENERGY AGENCY

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ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 1-492 ID# 01911A

THIS VOLUME, PREPARED BY THE NUCLEAR ENERGY AGENCY OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT (OECD), INCLUDES STUDIES ON REGULATIONS GOVERNING NUCLEAR FACILITIES AND RADIATION PROTECTION IN THOSE OECD STATES THAT WERE MEMBERS AS OF JUNE 1, 1971 (AUSTRIA, BELGIUM, CANADA, DENMARK, FINLAND, FRANCE, (WEST) GERMANY, GREECE, ICELAND, IRELAND, ITALY, JAPAN, LUXEMBURG, THE NETHERLANDS, NORWAY, PORTUGAL, SPAIN, SWEDEN. SWITZERLAND, TURKEY, UNITED KINGDOM, AND THE UNITED STATES). EACH STATE IS SEPARATELY TREATED, WITH EACH TEXT CENTERING ON THE FUNDAMENTAL RADIATION PROTECTION LEGISLATION, SYSTEM OF AUTHORIZATION AND CONTROL OF NUCLEAR INSTALLATIONS, SYSTEM OF AUTHORIZATION AND CONTROL OF RADIOACTIVE PUBLIC, AND THE PROTECTION OF OF WORKERS. THE INTRODUCTION BRIEFLY DESCRIBES THE WORK OF CERTAIN INTERNATIONAL BODIES THAT HAS COME TO SERVE AS A BASIS FOR DOMESTIC NUCLEAR LEGISLATION.

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RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT PRACTICES IN WESTERN EUROPE
EUROPEAN NUCLEAR ENERGY AGENCY

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THIS VOLUME CONSTITUTES A REPORT, THE STUDY FOR WHICH WAS INITIATED BY THE STEERING COMMITTEE FOR NUCLEAR ENERGY OF THE ORGANISATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT, ON POLICIES AND PRACTICES OF RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT IN WESTERN EUROPE AND ON THE IDENTIFICATION OF PROBLEMS REQUIRING FINAL SOLUTION. THE MAIN PARTS OF THE REPORT CONCERN THE ORIGIN AND DIFFERENT TYPES OF WASTE, BASIC CONSIDERATIONS, RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT POLICIES IN THE WESTERN EUROPEAN COUNTRIES, OUTSTANDING PROBLEMS, AND A SUMMARY OF THE CONCLUSIONS. THE ANNEXES COVER A GLOSSARY OF TERMS, THE ESTIMATED RADIOACTIVE WASTE PRODUCTION IN WESTERN EUROPE IN 1970, APPLICATION OF CRITICAL PATHWAY ANALYSIS TO RADIOACTIVE LIQUID EFFLUENTS FROM THE WINDSCALE WORKS IN ENGLAND, FACILITIES FOR THE DISPOSAL OF RADIOACTIVE WASTES IN THE ASSE SALT MINE IN WEST GERMANY, AND A LIST OF REFERENCE DOCUMENTS.

OECD

"RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT: PRINCIPLES DETERMINING DISPOSAL PRACTICES."
OECD OBSERVER, NO. 45
WILLIAMS, IAN
PM(B) EPA
ENGLISH 04/00/70 PGS 31-36 ID# 01985A

THIS ARTICLE BY THE DEPUTY DIRECTOR GENERAL OF THE EUROPEAN NUCLEAR ENERGY AGENCY (ENEA) CONSIDERS HANDLING, TREATMENT AND DISPOSAL OF RADIOACTIVE WASTES. THE INITIAL SECTION IDENTIFIES THE HEALTH AND SAFETY OF BOTH THE PUBLIC AND OF WORKERS HANDLING WASTES AS THE OVERRIDING CONSIDERATION IN RADIOACTIVE WASTE MANAGEMENT, DEALS BRIEFLY WITH COSTS AND CONVENIENCE AS FACTORS IN CHOOSING ALTERNATIVE SYSTEMS, AND THEN STRESSES THE RESPONSIBILITY TO FUTURE GENERATIONS IN DEALING WITH RADIOACTIVE WASTES. IT IS ALSO URGED THAT THE POLICY TO BE ADOPTED IN ANY GIVEN SITUATION MUST RESULT FROM A COMPLETE EVALUATION OF THE CIRCUMSTANCES INVOLVED IN THAT SITUATION. IN THE LIGHT OF THESE CONSIDERATIONS THE ARTICLE THEN GOES ON TO DISCUSS THE EVALUATION OF WASTE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS, THE MANAGEMENT OF GASEOUS WASTES, COMMON FACTORS IN THE MANAGEMENT OF LIQUID AND SOLID WASTES, THE DISPOSAL OF LIQUID RADIOACTIVE WASTES, AND THE DISPOSAL OF SOLID RADIOACTIVE WASTES.

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ECE SYMPOSIUM ON PROBLEMS RELATING TO ENVIRONMENT
ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR EUROPE EPA
SE( ) ENGLISH 00/00/71 PGS 1-366 ID# 00308A
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"ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH." THE WORK OF WHO 1971. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL TO THE WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS. (OFFICIAL RECORDS, NO. 197)
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP.
PM(A) EPA
ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 93-110 ID# 01969A
*GENERAL AIR WATER

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DESARROLLO URBANO Y CAMBIO AMBIENTAL: UN ESTUDIO PRELIMINAR REALIZADO POR LA SECRETARIA GENERAL DE LA OEA (URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND ENVIRONMENTAL CHANGE: A PRELIMINARY STUDY ...
SECRETARY GENERAL. ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES
PM(A) EPA
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*GENERAL AIR WATER

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ENGLISH 00/00/71 PGS 1-386 ID# 00308A
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"COMECON WATER MANAGEMENT OFFICIALS CONFER." LEIPZIGER VOLKSZEITUNG
GERMAN 05/29/73 PGS 2 EPA ID# 01740A

THIS ARTICLE REPORTS ON THE 6-DAY (MAY 2-26, 1973) MEETING IN EAST GERMANY OF WATER MANAGEMENT ADMINISTRATORS FROM MEMBER STATES OF THE COUNCIL FOR MUTUAL ECONOMIC AID. IN ADDITION TO THE NATIONAL DELEGATIONS, OBSERVERS WERE PRESENT FROM SEVERAL OTHER INTERNATIONAL BODIES INCLUDING THE UN EDUCATIONAL, SCIENTIFIC, AND CULTURAL ORGANIZATION, THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, THE WORLD METEOROLOGICAL ORGANIZATION, AND THE DANUBE RIVER COMMISSION. THE ARTICLE SUMMARIZES THE AGENDA TOPICS OF THE CONFERENCE AND CITES THE FORMATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL ASSOCIATION CALLED INTERVODCHISKA, CHARGED WITH STUDYING HOW EXISTING COMECON CAPABILITIES MAY BE BETTER EXPLOITED FOR THE DEVELOPMENT, PLANNING, AND CONSTRUCTION OF WASTEWATER FACILITIES.

COUNCIL OF EUROPE

PM(A)

"THE ANTI-POLLUTION FIGHT CAN ONLY BE AN INTERNATIONAL UNDERTAKING." LE MONDE
MARGUERITE, BERNARD
FRENCH 04/02/73 PGS 24 EPA ID# 01527A
ALSO PMB
*GENERAL AIR

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PM(B)

"LAW AND WATER POLLUTION." FORWARD IN EUROPE (LEGAL SUPPLEMENT NO. 6)
DIRECTORATE OF LEGAL AFFAIRS, COUNCIL OF EUROPE EPA
ENGLISH 04/00/72 PGS 21-22 ID# 01949A
ALSO LRB

THIS ARTICLE REPORTS THAT WITHIN THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE THE PROBLEMS OF WATER POLLUTION ARE UNDER STUDY FROM TWO ASPECTS, THAT OF PURELY DOMESTIC LAW AND THAT OF INTERNATIONAL LAW. AS FOR THE LATTER, AN AD HOC COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS HAS BEEN ENGAGED IN THE PREPARATION OF A EUROPEAN CONVENTION ON THE PROTECTION OF INTERNATIONAL FRESH WATERS AGAINST POLLUTION. THIS INITIATIVE BEGAN WITH RECOMMENDATION 555 OF THE COUNCIL'S CONSULTATIVE ASSEMBLY. THE FIRST DRAFT CONVENTION WAS NOT ACCEPTED BY THE COUNCIL OF MINISTERS BECAUSE OF INEQUITIES IN ITS LIABILITY PROVISIONS AND INEQUALITIES BETWEEN DOWNSTREAM AND UPSTREAM STATES. WORK HAS BEEN UNDERWAY SINCE THEN ON A NEW DRAFT. WHEN COMPLETED, THE CONVENTION WILL PROVIDE FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF A SYSTEM OF COOPERATION BETWEEN CONTRACTING PARTIES PARTICIPATING IN THE SAME INTERNATIONAL HYDROGRAPHIC BASIN OR WATERCOURSE. IT IS ALSO PLANNED TO PROVIDE FOR MINIMUM STANDARDS OF ACCEPTABLE WATER POLLUTION. ARTICLE ALSO CITES COUNCIL OF EUROPE WORK IN BRINGING ABOUT THE CONTROL OF DETERGENTS.

COUNCIL OF EUROPE

PM(B)

"(OCT. 24, 1970, COUNCIL OF EUROPE) RESOLUTION (70) 30 ON GENERAL WATER MANAGEMENT PLANNING." ANNUAIRE EUROPEAN/EUROPEAN YEARBOOK, V. 18
COUNCIL OF EUROPE EPA
ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 273; 275 ID# 01952A
ALSO FRENCH

THIS RESOLUTION BY THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE RECOMMENDS THAT MEMBER STATES BEGIN AT ONCE TO ASSESS WATER RESOURCES IN TERMS OF QUANTITY AND QUALITY AND THAT THEY DETERMINE FUTURE WATER TRENDS AND INDICATE, BY SETTING UP SUPPLY AND DEMAND BALANCES WITHIN A RIVER BASIN, SOLUTIONS BASED ON THE RATIONAL USE AND CONSERVATION OF WATER RESOURCES. THE RESOLUTION FURTHER CALLS UPON THE MEMBER STATES TO INFORM THE SECRETARY GENERAL OF THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE EVERY THREE YEARS OF ACTIONS TAKEN TO IMPLEMENT THIS RECOMMENDATION.

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EUROPEAN COMMUNITIES "ENVIRONMENTAL MINISTERS AGREE ON A COMPROMISE FORMULA." FRANKFURTER ALLGEMEINE

PM(A) GERMAN 07/21/73 PGS 6 EPA ID# 01957A
*GENERAL AIR NOISE

INTERNATIONAL "MARINE POLLUTION BY DUMPING." SURVEY OF CURRENT AFFAIRS, V.2, NO. 12 LONDON. CENTRAL OFFICE OF INFORMATION

LE(B) ENGLISH 12/00/72 PGS 529-530 EPA ID# 01270A
ALSO PMB

THIS ARTICLE OUTLINES THE WORK OF THE INTERGOVERNMENTAL CONFERENCE HELD IN LONDON FROM OCT. 30 TO NOV. 13, 1972, IMMEDIATELY PRECEDING THE SIGNING OF THE INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION ON THE PREVENTION OF MARINE POLLUTION BY DUMPING, THE BROAD PRINCIPLES OF THE CONVENTION ITSELF AND ITS MAJOR PROVISIONS, AND THE TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM ACCOMPANYING THE CONVENTION.

INTERNATIONAL "POLLUTION OF THE SEAS: VICE TIGHTENS ON TANKERS." LE FIGARO KERLOUEGAN, PIERRE

LE(B) FRENCH 11/13/74 PGS 12 EPA ID# 01769A
ALSO PMB

THIS ARTICLE OUTLINES THE PROVISIONS OF THE 1973 LONDON CONVENTION FOR THE PREVENTION OF THE POLLUTION OF THE SEA BY HYDROCARBONS, WHICH WILL BE OPEN FOR SIGNATURE ON JANUARY 15, 1974. THE TEXT ADOPTED BY THE CONVENTION ESTABLISHES SPECIAL ANTI-DUMPING ZONES; MAKES MANDATORY THE USE OF WATER-ONLY BALLAST TANKS IN CERTAIN TYPES OF NEW TANKERS BUILT AFTER 1976; REQUIRES THE USE OF "BLACK BOXES" ABOARD TANKERS TO RECORD THE HYDROCARBON CONTENT OF WATER DISCHARGED FROM SHIP OUTSIDE OF THE PROTECTED ZONES; AND IT CALLS FOR THE ESTABLISHMENT OF RECEIVING STATIONS AT CERTAIN PORTS WHERE TANKERS SAILING IN PROTECTED WATERS MAY DISCHARGE THEIR HYDROCARBON WASTES. THE PROVISIONS OF THE CONVENTION DO NOT SOLVE THE ENTIRE PROBLEM, HOWEVER, FOR THERE STILL REMAINS THE TASK OF SURVEILLANCE TO DETECT VIOLATORS AND OF PUNISHING VIOLATORS THROUGH OTHER THAN SYMBOLIC FINES.

WATER

INTERNATIONAL

SUMMARY OF WORLD'S ENVIRONMENTAL LAW: NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL, AND MODEL NATIONAL ENVIRONMENTAL STATUTES: AIR, WATER, NOISE AND WEATHER MODIFICATION
OWNES, CHRIS C. EPA
LR(B) ENGLISH 00/00/73 PGS 1-22 ID# 01988A
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INTERNATIONAL

"POLLUTION OF THE RHINE. THE IAWR STANDARDS." ACQUA, NO. 4
INTERNATIONAL WATER SUPPLY ASSOCIATION EPA
PM(B) ENGLISH 00/00/73 PGS 15-17 ID# 01905A
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THIS ARTICLE, APPEARING IN THE QUARTERLY BULLETIN OF THE INTERNATIONAL WATER SUPPLY ASSOCIATION, DESCRIBES THE ORGANIZATION AND PURPOSE OF THE IAWR (INTERNATIONAL WORKING COMMITTEE OF THE WATER SUPPLY UNDERTAKING IN THE RHINE CATCHMENT AREA) AND THE RECOMMENDATION OF A STUDY GROUP RELATIVE TO THE QUALITY IMPROVEMENT OF RHINE WATER. IAWR IS AN ORGANIZATION THAT GROUPS MORE THAN 70 WATER SUPPLY ENTERPRISES IN AUSTRIA, SWITZERLAND, FRANCE, WEST GERMANY, AND THE NETHERLANDS. THE IAWR IS DESIGNED TO PROMOTE THE ESTABLISHMENT OF INTERNATIONAL MEASURES TO PREVENT OR ELIMINATE DANGERS TO THE PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY STEMMING FROM THE POLLUTION OF THE RHINE AND ITS TRIBUTARIES. THE STUDY GROUP FOUND THAT ANY FURTHER INCREASE IN POLLUTION WILL HAVE UNACCEPTABLE EFFECTS ON THE QUALITY OF DRINKING WATER DRAWN FROM THE RIVER. THE MOST SERIOUS POLLUTANTS ARE THE NON-DEGRADABLE DISSOLVED ORGANIC SUBSTANCES. ABSTRACTION OF POTABLE WATER MUST TAKE ABSOLUTE PRIORITY OVER OTHER USES. STRICTER MONITORING AND SUPERVISION IS REQUIRED.

NATO

"CCMS TACKLES OIL SPILLS PROBLEM." ASSEGAI: THE MAGAZINE OF THE RHODESIAN ARMY, V. 12, NO. 12 (REPRINT FROM NATO REVIEW)
SPIELMAN, HERBERT EPA
PM(B) ENGLISH 04/00/73 PGS 23-25 ID# 01335A
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THIS ARTICLE, CITING OIL SPILLAGE FROM TANKERS AS A MAJOR CAUSE OF SEA POLLUTION, DISCUSSES THE WORK BEING DONE BY THE NATO COMMITTEE ON THE CHALLENGES OF MODERN SOCIETY (CCMS). FOLLOWING THE ESTABLISHMENT OF CCMS IN NOVEMBER 1969, IT TACKLED AS A PILOT STUDY THE PROBLEM OF COASTAL WATER POLLUTION, ESPECIALLY OIL SPILLAGE. THE PRINCIPAL PARTICIPANTS IN THE STUDY WERE BELGIUM (THE PILOT COUNTRY), FRANCE, CANADA, AND PORTUGAL. CCMS CONVENED A CONFERENCE IN BRUSSELS IN 1970 ATTENDED BY 14 NATO MEMBER STATES. FROM THIS CONFERENCE EMERGED A SERIES OF DETAILED RECOMMENDATIONS CONCERNING OIL SPILLAGE, SOME OF WHICH ARE BEING IMPLEMENTED ON THE NATIONAL LEVEL. NATO BECAME INVOLVED IN THIS PROBLEM, THE AUTHOR EXPLAINS, BECAUSE 80% OF THE WORLD'S TANKER FLEET IS CONTROLLED BY NATO STATES.

NATO "SUMMARY OF MAJOR NATO/CCMS ACTIVITIES IN 1971." ANNUAIRE EUROPEEN/EUROPEAN YEARBOOK, V. 19
COUNCIL OF EUROPE, PUBL.
PM(A) ENGLISH 00/00/73 PGS 66-72 EPA ID# 01958A
AIR GENERAL

THIS ARTICLE, APPEARING IN A YEARBOOK PUBLISHED BY THE COUNCIL OF EUROPE AND ONE OF SEVERAL ARTICLES DESCRIBING THE ENVIRONMENTAL ACTIVITIES OF INTERNATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS, HIGHLIGHTS MAJOR 1971 ACHIEVEMENTS OF NATO'S COMMITTEE ON THE CHALLENGES OF MODERN SOCIETY (CCMS) IN THE FIELD OF AIR POLLUTION CONTROL, COASTAL WATER POLLUTION CONTROL, INLAND WATER POLLUTION CONTROL, ROAD SAFETY, DISASTER ASSISTANCE, AND ADVANCED HEALTH CARE. THE ARTICLE SUMMARIZES EACH OF THESE PROJECTS AND LISTS THE PILOT- AND CO-PILOT COUNTRIES PARTICIPATING IN THE PROJECTS. MENTION IS MADE OF THE CCMS-LAUNCHED PROGRAM OF FELLOWSHIPS TO STUDY PUBLIC POLICY IN RELATION TO THE NATURAL AND SOCIAL ENVIRONMENT.

NATO MAN'S ENVIRONMENT AND THE ATLANTIC ALLIANCE
HUNTLEY, JAMES R.
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SECRETARY GENERAL. ORGANIZATION OF AMERICAN STATES
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THIS DIRECTORY OF WATER POLLUTION RESEARCH LABORATORIES WAS COMPILED TO PROVIDE A BASIS FOR EFFECTIVE COOPERATION AMONG MEMBER COUNTRIES OF THE ORGANIZATION FOR ECONOMIC COOPERATION AND DEVELOPMENT. COMPILED IN COOPERATION WITH THE ECONOMIC COMMISSION OF EUROPE, THE DIRECTORY INCLUDES SOME EUROPEAN COUNTRIES WHICH ARE NOT MEMBERS OF OECD. ONLY LABORATORIES AND INSTITUTES WHICH REGULARLY ENGAGE IN RESEARCH ON POLLUTION OF FRESH WATER ARE INCLUDED. INSTITUTES ARE ARRANGED BY COUNTRY AND DESCRIBED IN TERMS OF THEIR DIRECTOR, PERSONNEL, ORGANIZATION STRUCTURE SPECIAL FACILITIES AND EQUIPMENT AND RESEARCH PROGRAM.

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THIS PUBLICATION, DESIGNED AS A SOURCE BOOK OF THE EXPERIENCE OF WATER MANAGEMENT AUTHORITIES IN NORTH AMERICA AND ELSEWHERE, CONTAINS 46 PAPERS PRESENTED AT THE NORTH AMERICAN MEETING OF THE WATER MANAGEMENT SECTION GROUP OF THE ENVIRONMENT COMMITTEE OF THE OECD, HELD IN JULY 1970. MAJOR PROBLEMS DISCUSSED INCLUDE: CRITERIA FOR CHOOSING ALTERNATIVE WATER MANAGEMENT APPROACHES; THE MEANING OF "OBJECTIVES" IN RELATION TO WATER MANAGEMENT; PROBLEMS OF DIVIDED JURISDICTION; AND DETERMINATION OF APPORTIONMENT OF WATER MANAGEMENT COSTS. TWO MAJOR ENVIRONMENTALLY RELATED ISSUES IDENTIFIED ARE: RELATING ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL PURPOSE TO WATER MANAGEMENT, AND ACCOUNTING FOR THE ENVIRONMENTAL ASPECTS OF WATER MANAGEMENT. PAPERS APPEAR UNDER THESE MAJOR HEADINGS: NORTH AMERICAN WATER POLICIES AND PROGRAMS: BASIN AND REGIONAL PROGRAMS IN NORTH AMERICA; WATER RESOURCE RESEARCH IN NORTH AMERICA: JOINT UNITED STATES-CANADIAN PROGRAMS; AND ILLUSTRATIONS OF EUROPEAN AND JAPANESE APPROACHES TO SOLVING BASIC PROGRAMS IN WATER MANAGEMENT.

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THIS VOLUME, PUBLISHED BY THE TUNISIAN PUBLIC RELATIONS AGENCY, CONTAINS TRANSLATIONS OF PAPERS DELIVERED AT THE 23RD CONGRESS OF THE ASSOCIATION OF ATTENDERS AND ALUMNI OF THE HAGUE ACADEMY OF INTERNATIONAL LAW (A.A.A.), HELD IN RABAT, MOROCCO IN MAY 1971, THE THEME OF WHICH WAS "INTERNATIONAL LAW AND THE ENVIRONMENT." THE SPEAKERS RANGE FROM KING HASSAN OF MOROCCO TO EUROPEAN SPECIALISTS IN THE FIELDS OF LAW AND THE ENVIRONMENT, AND THE TOPICS OF DISCUSSION COVER THE RANGE OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION SUBJECTS: INDUSTRIAL POLLUTION, POLLUTION OF OCEAN AND INLAND WATERS, PESTICIDES, POLLUTION OF THE ATMOSPHERE, AND ECOLOGY. MANY OF THE PAPERS DEAL WITH SPECIFIC PROBLEMS OF POLLUTION AND POLLUTION INCIDENTS AND WITH THE RESOLUTION OF SUCH PROBLEMS BY LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL LAW. MOST DATA AND SUBJECT MATTER RELATE TO ASPECTS OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL QUESTION IN EUROPE AND THE MIDDLE EAST. APPENDED TO THE PROCEEDINGS IS A 21-PAGE ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF A REPORT ON THE CONGRESS, FROM THE MOROCCAN "JURISPRUDENCE AND LAW REVIEW."

UNITED NATIONS

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WATER LEGISLATION IN ASIA AND THE FAR EAST. PART 1. WATER RESOURCES SERIES NO. 31
UNITED NATIONS. ECONOMIC COMM. FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST EPA
ENGLISH 00/00/67 PGS 1-183 ID# 01986A
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THIS PUBLICATION, THE RESULT OF A SURVEY UNDERTAKEN BY THE DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES DEVELOPMENT OF THE SECRETARIAT OF THE UNITED NATIONS ECONOMIC COMMISSION FOR ASIA AND THE FAR EAST, IS A COMPARATIVE REVIEW OF THE WATER CODES OF AFGHANISTAN, BRUNEI, BURMA, REPUBLIC OF CHINA, HONG KONG, IRAN, JAPAN, NEW ZEALAND, THE PHILIPPINES, AND THAILAND. IT COVERS SUCH TOPICS AS: OWNERSHIP OF WATER; THE RIGHT TO USE WATER; ORDER OR PRIORITIES; LEGISLATION ON BENEFICIAL USES OF WATER; LEGISLATION ON HARMFUL EFFECTS OF WATER; WATER WASTAGE, QUALITY AND POLLUTION CONTROL; UNDERGROUND WATER; WATER RIGHTS ADMINISTRATION; SPECIAL WATER DEVELOPMENT AGENCIES; CONTROL OF HYDRAULIC STRUCTURES; DECLARATION OF PROTECTED ZONES OR AREAS; IMPLEMENTATION OF WATER LEGISLATION; AND CUSTOMARY WATER LAW.

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UN CONFERENCE ON THE HUMAN ENVIRONMENT: ROUND-UP OF ACTIONS TAKEN.
U.S. DEPT. OF STATE. BUR. INT. SCI. AND TECH. AFFAIRS EPA
ENGLISH 06/21/72 PGS 1-53 ID# 00315A
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ECE SYMPOSIUM ON PROBLEMS RELATING TO ENVIRONMENT
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WATER POLLUTION CONTROL. REPORT BY THE WHO EXPERT COMMITTEE. (TECHNICAL REPORT SERIES, NO. 318)
WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION LOC
ENGLISH 00/00/66 PGS 1-32 ID# 01967A
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THIS REPORT, PREPARED BY A WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION EXPERT COMMITTEE ON WATER POLLUTION CONTROL THAT MET IN GENEVA APRIL 6-12, 1965, DEALS CHIEFLY WITH WATER POLLUTION CONTROL IN DENSELY POPULATED, INDUSTRIALIZED AREAS. IT COVERS ADVICE ON CORRECTIVE MEASURES, EVALUATION OF PROGRESS AND TRENDS IN WATER-POLLUTION CONTROL MEASURES, INVESTIGATION OF BROAD AREAS REQUIRING RESEARCH INTO THE SCIENTIFIC, TECHNICAL, ECONOMIC, SOCIAL, AND ADMINISTRATIVE ASPECTS OF WATER-POLLUTION CONTROL, AND FORMULATION OF RECOMMENDATIONS FOR NATIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL ACTION. THE REPORT INCLUDES SECTIONS ON CLASSES OF WATER POLLUTION, EFFECTS OF SUCH POLLUTION, METHODS OF TREATMENT PRIOR TO DISCHARGE INTO RIVERS, ASSESSMENT OF QUALITY OF RIVERS AND EFFLUENTS, LAWS RELATING TO POLLUTION CONTROL, RATIONAL APPROACHES TO WATER-POLLUTION CONTROL, AND RESEARCH AND DISSEMINATION OF DATA. AN ANNEX RECOMMENDS PERTINENT AREAS OF RESEARCH: HEALTH EFFECTS OF CERTAIN SUBSTANCES IN SURFACE WATERS, WATER QUALITY, GROUND WATER, TREATMENT PROCESSES, AND MANAGEMENT.

WHO "ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH." THE WORK OF WHO 1971. ANNUAL REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR GENERAL TO THE WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY OF THE UNITED NATIONS. (OFFICIAL RECORDS, NO. 197) WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, COMP.

PM(A) ENGLISH 00/00/72 PGS 93-110 EPA ID# 01969A
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WHO THE POTENTIAL POLLUTION INDEX AS A TOOL FOR RIVER WATER QUALITY MANAGEMENT. (WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, INTL. REFERENCE FOR COMMUNITY WATER SUPPLY, TECHNICAL PAPER, NO. 6.) ZOETMAN, B.C.J.

PM(B) ENGLISH 08/00/73 PGS 1-40 EPA ID# 02006A

THIS PUBLICATION PROPOSES A MODEL, BASED ON A POTENTIAL POLLUTION INDEX (P.P.I.) FOR THE FORMULATION OF A MATHEMATICAL RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN CHANGES IN RIVER WATER QUALITY AND CHANGES IN HUMAN ACTIVITIES RESPONSIBLE FOR IT. THE P.P.I. DEPENDS ON POPULATION SIZE IN THE RIVER DRAINAGE AREA, THE ECONOMIC ACTIVITY IN THE RIVER BASIN, AND THE AVERAGE WATERFLOW OF THE RIVER. THE RELATION OF THE P.P.I. AND ACTUAL RIVER WATER QUALITY IS DERIVED FROM DATA OF 160 RIVERSITES THROUGHOUT THE WORLD. BASED ON THE CONCEPT OF A POTENTIAL POLLUTION INDEX, A CLASSIFICATION OF RIVERS IS GIVEN AND GENERAL WATER POLLUTION TRENDS ARE PRESENTED, FROM WHICH A RECONSTRUCTION OF NATURAL POLLUTION LEVELS OF RIVERS AS WELL AS A PROGNOSIS OF WATER QUALITY FOR RIVERS IN GENERAL AND FOR THE RHINE IN THE YEARS 1980 AND 2000 IN PARTICULAR ARE DERIVED. ALSO CONSIDERED ARE THE USEFULNESS OF THE P.P.I. AS AN INDICATOR FOR SANITATION PROGRAMMING AND ITS POSSIBILITIES FOR THE COMMUNICATION OF INFORMATION ON RIVER WATER QUALITY.

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